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The attention of every Voter in Chicago is called to an Editorial in The Tribune of today entitled "Who is Putting Up?"

LOESCH DECLARES ILLINOIS PRACTICE SHIELDS GUILTY

Chicago Attorney Tells State Bar at Springfield of the Urgent Need for Change.

ASSAILS MUNICIPAL COURT

Denounces Political Judges and Recall and Blames the Legislature.

HE STRIKES AT DIRECT PRIMARY

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—"The innocent man always is eager to give his explanation and does so at the first opportunity, and it always is to his interest so to do. But the guilty is now enabled by the law to remain mute, to learn the evidence against him, to concoct his defense pending trial, and to come into court fully acquainted with the case against him."

Quoting this statement as the real underlying necessity for a great change in the trial procedure of Illinois, and citing the disagreement of juries, the unexpected acquittal of notorious criminals, and the crookedness of individual jurors, as evidence, Attorney Frank J. Loesch of Chicago stirred 600 members of the Illinois bar gathered at the St. Nicholas hotel in honor of the justices of the state Supreme court.

Mr. Loesch, who was the special state's attorney in charge of the investigation of the recent primaries in the Lorimer wards during the Healy-Wayman contest, spoke plainly. He said revision of the practice in Illinois is immediately necessary.

Criticises Municipal Court.

The speaker struck boldly at the Municipal court of Chicago, affirming that to extend its jurisdiction would be a public calamity. The idea was based, as he expressed it, upon the character of some of the men now on the bench.

Indirectly Mr. Loesch held the direct primary law responsible.

Mr. Loesch denounced the initiative and referendum and political judges, and particularly laid at the door of the Illinois legislature the responsibility for the cry against the courts now heard in the state.

As to the Gilbert bill, revolutionizing the practice in the courts of the state, Mr. Loesch objected strenuously to the legislature proceeding with the consideration of a measure of its importance and extent without adequate and abundant investigation.

"I cannot partake of the feeling which is prevalent in some quarters," said Mr. Loesch, "that the law and procedure needs complete overturning in the state in order that the courts may be reformed.

"The Supreme court is doing its work with close attention to its cases, in shorter time, and with better results than has been the case at any time within my memory.

Appellate Court Overburdened.

"We are not so fortunate in our cases in the Appellate court of the First district, as that court is overburdened with the enormous number of appeals which find their way to it. That is, however, not the fault of the judges of that court, but of the legislature, which freely affords easy appeal to that court, but fails to provide an adequate judiciary force to dispose of cases in a reasonable time.

"The best immediate result for litigants in that district can be obtained by relieving the judges from filing opinions in affirmed cases.

"When we come to our nisi prius and Municipal courts we are, however, not on such exploratory grounds. Under the method of selecting judges for our nisi prius courts now, by the direct primary, and later elections, it is not always possible to obtain the most learned and most competent men for the positions.

Municipal Court at Fault.

"On the whole, while there are notable and unfortunate selections by the people, more often upon sudden political changes, still neither the bar nor the people have great reason to complain except in one court. We expect from the courts honesty, industry, and, as nearly as human nature is capable of it, freedom from harmful prejudices, that is, fairness.

"The municipal court has too great and too long a jurisdiction for the character and legal ability of many of the men who have, most unfortunately for the people, occupied places in that court. To further extend the jurisdiction of that court, as is now sought to be done, would be nothing short of a public calamity. The public has become impressed with the idea that there is something wrong with all courts. Hence, first a profound study to their ends up in discontent.

Effect of Direct Primary.

"No man can foresee what ultimate effect the direct primary will have upon the makeup of the courts and upon the law, and when to it is added the initiative, the referendum, and the recall, as in the case already in one constitution, we may pause a moment to consider its probable effect.

"The referendum now is intended to apply to acts of the legislature. But courts

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PROSPERITY, THE TRAVEL BUG, AND DIVORCE.

Mrs. D. W. Jonesen and daughter are spending two weeks in Michigan. It is their annual summer outing.

Mrs. Daniel W. Jonesen and daughter, Miss Margaret, will leave soon for Europe, where they will spend the summer in Italy and Switzerland. Mr. Jonesen expected to join them for a short visit, but business demands have prevented.

Mrs. D. Wallace Jonesen and daughter, Miss Margaret, are planning an extensive trip abroad this summer. They will spend the winter in Algiers and Egypt and the spring and summer in Europe. The remainder of the year they will be at home at their beautiful residence on Bullion Place.

Mrs. D. Wallace Jonesen and Miss Margaret Jonesen have taken an apartment in Paris, where Miss Jonesen will take a course of lectures in medieval literature. They expect to run over late in December and spend a fortnight at home.

Mrs. D. Wallace Jonesen yesterday filed an application for divorce, alleging desertion.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1911.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Unsettled weather Friday and Saturday, with rain turning to snow; colder by Saturday. Moderate southerly winds, shifting to northwest. Sunrise, 6:45. Sunset, 5:25. Moonrise, 10:09 p. m.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO
(Last 24 hours.)

Maximum, 2 a. m. . . . 56
Minimum, 7 a. m. . . . 36

3 a. m.	37	11 a. m.	39	7 p. m.	39
4 a. m.	36	12 noon	40	8 p. m.	39
5 a. m.	36	1 p. m.	40	9 p. m.	39
6 a. m.	36	2 p. m.	42	10 p. m.	38
7 a. m.	36	3 p. m.	42	11 p. m.	39
8 a. m.	37	4 p. m.	42	12 midnight.	38
9 a. m.	38	5 p. m.	40	1 a. m.	38
10 a. m.	39	6 p. m.	39	2 a. m.	38

Mean temperature, 44; normal for the day, 34.
Excess since Jan. 1, 294.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .06. Deficiency since Jan. 1, .90 inch.
Wind, N. W.; max., 18 miles an hour at 7:35 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 86%; 7 p. m., 87%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m., 30.39; 7 p. m., 30.14.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 100.

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Congressman Bennet introduces annexation resolution in house; aim believed to create prejudice against reciprocity. Page 4.

Senator Borah in speech on direct election asserts race prejudice in north is strong as in south. Page 4.

Official statement shows how Illinois residents would benefit from Canadian reciprocity. Page 4.

Lorimerites in senate try to shift the blame for delaying vote on expulsion. Page 4.

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Following Stead's ruling on fees, Illinois game warden closes office; other departments may do likewise. Page 3.

Danville grand jury orders 1,000 blank forms of indictment for vote trafficking. Page 4.

William Allen White testifies in graft hearing; says article was warning. Page 4.

Dean Mathews says lack of thrift is contributory cause toward graft. Page 4.

Sportsmen of Beresford-Drexel hunt says it was real and a hummer. Page 5.

LOCAL.

Son of George R. Lawrence calls mother persecutor after arrest on kidnaping charge. Page 1.

Mrs. Frances Shaw says underwear shortens life. Page 1.

Children split "No," says Judge Pinckney in reply to charges against juvenile court. Page 2.

Man leaving tenantry plans suicide, but shoots wife. Page 2.

Freight foreman shot by robber when he refuses to hold up hands. Page 2.

Mrs. McCulloch leads suffragist campaign in Evanston today. Page 2.

Swain charges girl jilted him and sues for $25,000 damages. Page 2.

Widow rejects aviator to marry tailor; less liable to die. Page 2.

Fire destroys "Group No. 1" of Bradley buildings. Page 2.

Five hundred First ward registration affidavits attacked by Graham organization. Page 9.

Carpenters paid 60 cents an hour merely to kill time in labor dispute. Page 11.

Cement show thrown open to public with big Coliseum display. Page 11.

FOREIGN.

Trousers skirt appears in Paris; fashion disliked; one version called "frightful." Page 5.

Russia sends ultimatum to China; threatens to occupy province. Page 6.

Count and doctor convicted of murder of Russian nobleman. Page 6.

Gen. Vega's army in full retreat in Mexico. Page 6.

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Manager Chance arrives from California and predicts another pennant for the Cubs.

Pitcher Vovesny of Crane pitches second no hit game in three days in indoor ball league.

Brooklyn defeats Chicago in National three cushion league, 50 to 46.

Crane and Hinsdale fives will meet in finals of Tribune basketball tourney.

Minnesota gives Purdue five its first defeat of conference schedule, 19 to 14.

Chicago Motor club decides to hold motor truck reliability run from New York to Chicago.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
ARCADIA	New York.
BELLE OF SPAIN	Cuba.
CHICAGO	Bremen.
CLEVELAND	Algiers
G. P. THOMSEN	Copenhagen.
DUCA DI GENOVA	Naples.
HANOVERIAN	Baltimore.
MOERE	Valparaiso.
IVERNIA	Boston.
MAURETANIA	New York.
MINNEHONOKA	Genoa.
NADIRON	Gibraltar.
OCEANIC	Queenstown.
OCEANIA	Genoa.
ONTARIO	Liverpool.
ROMA	Marseilles.
SAINT ANNA	Naples.
ST. LOUIS	New York.
VADERLAND	Antwerp.
Sailed.	Port.
ATHENAI	St. Nazaire.
CARONIA	New York.
CAMPANIELLO	New York.
DUCA D'AOSTA	Naples.
HELLIG OLAV	New York.
LA PROVENCE	New York.
ROMA	New York.
SIERRA	Las Palmas.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

	Due at New York
SOLDIERIA ... Oct. 1,500 miles	Monday a. m.
ARCADIA ... Oct. 1,200 miles	Monday a. m.
KAISERIN ... Oct. 800 miles	Friday a. m.

LIVE TO BE 150 YEARS OLD BY WEARING NO UNDERWEAR.

Mrs. Frances Shaw Urges People to Adopt Her Habit of Giving Body a Chance to Breathe Fresh Air.

Members of the fair sex, how would you like to live to be 150 years old?

Well, then, don't wear any—er—that is, Mrs. Frances Shaw says not to.

Mrs. Shaw, a suffragist leader, laid down a number of rules for longevity last night at a National Pure Air association meeting in the Ionia lunchroom, 185 Dearborn street.

"I do not want to shock the ladies present," she said, "but I have found that the principal reason why women do not live longer is because they wear heavy—well, underwear. It is far better to wear no underwear at all. I find a gauze vest to be quite sufficient.

"Underwear does not give the body a chance to breathe. Fresh air is just as necessary to the skin as to the lungs. Every morning I give my body a chance for a thorough 'breathing spell.' It refreshes one wonderfully.

"If I only had known this, together with other simple rules of health, when I was 20 years old, I am confident I would live to the age of 150. I now am 50 years old, and I am certain I will live to be 100.

"Here are my other rules for longevity:

Be a vegetarian.
Be a suffragist.
Don't eat too much.
Never send for a doctor.
Don't sit in a corner and darn socks all day.

"The trouble nowadays is that people don't know how to take care of themselves. About two-thirds of the modern mothers don't know any more about caring for their children than animals do about taking care of their young."

SEE A PRIZEFIGHT AT LODGE.

Woodmen of World Enjoy Three Round Spectacle at "Stag" in the Masonic Temple.

Two hundred and fifty members of Sheldon camp No. 12,613, Woodmen of the World, enjoyed a prize fight on the ninth floor of the Masonic temple last night at a "stag." Three fast rounds were fought before the referee called it a draw. James J. McGarry and "Bob" Purvis were the contestants, and at the close of the bout McGarry appeared to have slightly the better of the argument.

POT BOILS OVER: WOMAN KILLED

Liquid Believed to Have Extinguished Flame on Gas Burner, Causing Asphyxiation.

A coffee pot which boiled over is blamed for the death of Mrs. Walley Evans, 4061 North Robey street. The woman was found dead in her kitchen yesterday afternoon, while gas poured from a burner of a range over which a pot containing coffee and water rested. The boiling water is believed to have extinguished the blaze, allowing the gas to asphyxiate the woman.

PEARY ATTACKED IN BILLINGSGATE

Macon of Arkansas Assails Explorer in Such Terms as "Idle Loafer" and "Faker."

LASHES GOTHAM PAPERS.

Moore of Pennsylvania Replies to Violent Speech, Defending the Captain and the Press.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Representative Macon of Arkansas, speaking in general debate on the naval appropriation bill in the house tonight, made a sensational attack upon Capt. Robert E. Peary, denouncing him as a "faker" and declaring he "should be driven from the naval service."

The bitter words used by the member from Arkansas called out a quick reply from Peary's friends. Representative J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania, after vainly attempting to interrupt Mr. Macon, finally got the floor in his own right.

He referred to Capt. Hobson's exploit of the Merrimac and to Dewey's victory at Manila.

"Heroes like these," said Mr. Moore, "have not the time to stop and deal with every dog that barks at their heels."

Some Picturesque Language.

Mr. Macon, who evoked a roar of laughter in the house several days ago by announcing that in using the language, "willful and deliberate liar, dirty little pilferer of words, and contemptible little ass," he had gone about as far as his "fellowship with the Methodist church permitted," added some original phrases to the history of debates in the house tonight.

He declared Peary's whole story was "a fake pure and simple." He said his contempt for "fake heroes" was supreme, and he intimated that he put "the hero of San Juan hill" in that class.

Mr. Macon denounced the Peary Arctic club and charged that it had maintained a paid lobby in Washington. He said President Taft's judgment in this matter was not to be accepted, for he had congratulated Cook as heartily as he did Peary.

Paying his compliments to the editors of the New York Times and the New York Post, Mr. Macon characterized them as "unblushing know-all-tidbits" and "pea eyed, pin headed, and putrid tongued infinitesimals."

He referred to Peary as a "fur trader," pictured him as "a self-exaggerated, self-opinionated, puffed up near-hero," and finally denounced him as "an unfaithful servant and an idle loafer, who ought to be driven from the service instead of being promoted."

Calls Post and Times "Yellow."

Mr. Macon said he had the utmost contempt for human beings so "weak brained," that they were afraid to say what they really thought about Peary, "because they feared some unblushing, know-all tit-bit editor of yellow journals, like the New York Times or the New York Post would call them ignorant blatherskites."

"I pity," he continued, "a man who is so ignorant as to be terror stricken all the time for fear he will be called ignorant by some sap-head, or so cowardly that he is afraid to think his own thoughts for fear some graft loving editor will find out what he is thinking about, and adversely criticise him therefor."

Mr. Macon expressed the belief that Peary and Cook on one of the trips to the north when they were companions, figured out that it would be easy for a man to "fake" a discovery of the pole, and he charged that they both started out at the same time to claim the discovery. He declared that instead of being rewarded with promotion to the rank of rear admiral, as President Taft and the committee on naval affairs have recommended, Peary's feat was, at best, worthy only of a medal like those awarded to Marathon runners.

Mr. Moore, in reply, said he had great respect for newspapers and newspapermen and he had noted with pride that the press gallery had remained empty throughout the time the gentleman from Arkansas had the floor.

ELBERT HUBBARD IS PINNED FAST BY ELEPHANT'S TUSK.

"Philistine" Lecturer Narrowly Escapes Death or Serious Injury at Reception at Portland, Ore.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—While attending a reception in his honor given by the Portland Press club, Elbert Hubbard was attacked by a trick elephant which had been taken up to the club, and it was only by rare luck that he escaped death, or at least serious injury.

Soon after Mr. Hubbard had seated himself in the club he grasped the extended trunk of the animal, which twice wrapped it around the author's neck. Suddenly the beast lunged forward with trunk uplifted. The tusks passed by Hubbard's head and pinned him fast to the wall.

Then the trainer whipped the brute off and Hubbard, deathly pale, but uninjured, crept from the chair to a place of safety on a stage in the "Jink's room," where the entertainment took place.

SALOON WRECKED BY BOMB.

Front of Building at 257 West Twenty-third Street Blown Out by Morning Explosion.

A bomb was exploded at 3 o'clock this morning in front of the saloon of Charles Marcdarte, 257 West Twenty-third street. The police heard the explosion, but were not able to locate the origin for an hour. The front of the building was wrecked. The police say Marcdarte received threatening letters.

HARRISON TELLS WHY HE WOULD BE MAYOR.

Herewith is the sixth of The Tribune's series of statements by the mayoralty candidates themselves, reciting why each believes he should be nominated and elected mayor of Chicago. Mr. Harrison's declaration will be followed by another tomorrow from a Republican, the intention being to give all candidates, alternating in parties, the same prominence and space.

BY CARTER H. HARRISON,
[Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Mayor of Chicago.]

FOR four successive terms the people of Chicago honored me with their confidence by electing me their mayor. I tried to show my gratitude by faithful service. At this time, when I am again a candidate, it may be well to cite a few of the things accomplished during my occupancy of the office:

The city's electric light plant was extended until it became the largest public owned lighting plant in the world; the city built the intercepting sewers by the "direct labor" instead of by the "contract system"; the first public bathing beaches in Chicago were established by me; free baths, small parks, and playgrounds were provided in the workingmen's wards.

The steam railroads were forced to elevate their tracks, to construct and maintain viaducts; compensation was exacted for the use of public property; I began the fight in the courts and at Springfield for cheaper gas, and presented to the legislature the enabling bill which gives cities the right to regulate the price of gas; I vetoed the pernicious ordinance permitting the Ogden Gas company to sell out to the gas trust in defiance of the terms of its franchise.

The street railways were forced to grant universal transfers; they were compelled to install fenders and vestibules, to heat their cars, and to clean and sprinkle their rights of way; I opposed the Humphrey and Allen bills, helped to repeal the latter, prevented the passage of the Yerkes fifty year ordinance, and forced the passage of the Mueller law by refusing to discuss franchise extension until the legislature had given Chicago the right to own street railways.

I fought the ninety-nine year act to the supreme court of the United States, where, after my retirement from office, victory finally rewarded the labors of Edgar B. Tolman, corporation counsel during my last administration, who was specially retained by my successor in that case.

The schools were managed in the interest of the school children; "politics and pull" were barred from the schools and the fire department; I helped in the improvement of the personnel of the city council by opposing bad and assisting good candidates with the cooperation of the best elements of the council. So effectually did I employ my influence with its members that (with one exception, at the beginning of my first term) no vicious measure was ever passed over my veto.

In my annual message of 1899 I originated the suggestion that the people have the right to veto ordinances; I presented to the council a plan for the construction of a municipal street railway on the streets set free by the expiration of the franchises of the Chicago Passenger Railway company and secured the passage of an appropriate ordinance. If this measure had been carried to completion (instead of being repealed by my successor) the city today might be owning and operating a profitable street railway system capable of indefinite extension and affording an object lesson of great value in future dealings with public service corporations.

I cleaned up the special assessment funds—that property owners might receive the rebates due them, installed the Haskins & Sells auditing system, drove the loan sharks out of the city hall, and took the fees from the police magistrates, placing them upon a salary basis.

I lowered water rates twice and prepared for the equalizing of rates between the large users and small users of water by meters; I appointed the high pressure water commission which mapped out the plans for this highly necessary fire protection service; I abolished the contract system of street cleaning and garbage removal and installed in its stead individual team service; I placed the city government on such a solid financial footing that all the bonds sold under my administrations brought a premium, whether they were 3½ or 4 per cent bonds.

Upon this showing of my service in the past, I rest my case.

If nominated and elected mayor again I promise:

A business administration in the interest of all the people.

Strict regulation of public utility corporations to the end that the rates charged shall be the lowest commensurate with a fair return to the stockholders on the actual money invested. This means 70 cent gas.

The establishing of a bureau of construction and repair and the performance by it, with direct labor, of all work which may legally be performed by the city.

My influence towards the passage by the legislature of an enabling bill giving the city the right to perform all municipal construction work with direct labor.

A nonpartisan administration of the schools, the police, and the fire departments.

The construction of a system of outer docks and harbors, with recreation piers, under public ownership and control.

A through route subway and the ultimate abolition of the union loop.

Through routing of all traction service.

New crosstown lines for the upbuilding of the outlying districts and the conveniences of the workingmen.

The fostering of outlying business districts, the development of which means so much to the future growth of Chicago.

Honest, economical, and efficient administration.

The widest measure of personal liberty compatible with the comfort of the community.

Home rule for Chicago in all things.

YOUTH IN PRISON SAYS MOTHER IS HIS PERSECUTOR

George R. Lawrence's Son Charges 'Happiness' Cult Fears His Revelations.

BOY IS HELD AS KIDNAPER

Arrested as He Leaves Bridewell After Term for Disorderly Conduct.

WOMAN CLAIMS IT'S TO SAVE HIM

Having served a sentence of four weeks in the bridewell on charges of disorderly conduct, brought against him by his mother, Raymond W. Lawrence, released yesterday, was at once rearrested accused of kidnaping his younger brother, George Lee Lawrence. He is in custody at the Sheffield avenue police station.

Raymond is the 16 year old son of George R. Lawrence, head of the former George R. Lawrence Company, photographers, whose domestic troubles culminated in a suit for separate maintenance, brought last summer by Mrs. Lawrence. Her husband denied divorce, but she would not consent.

While the marital troubles of father and mother were being aired in the court, the son made charges against the latter. He accused his mother of having deserted his father and said that her connection with a religious cult, known as the "happiness circle," founded by a former Dowieite, had broken up the family.

Blames Cult for Troubles.

Following his second arrest yesterday, young Lawrence said his mother and other members of her cult had conspired to send him to jail and now were continuing the conspiracy in an effort to have him sentenced again.

Young Lawrence was arrested a month ago when his mother made charges of forgery against him. At the hearing the charge was changed to disorderly conduct and the boy was sent to jail for four weeks. The case did not attain publicity at the time.

His rearrest was based on the kidnaping charge that he took his young brother away from his mother, into whose custody the child had been given, and had turned him over to his father.

Charges Mother Fears Exposures.

The young man denied he had kidnaped his brother and said his mother and other cult members were determined to keep him in jail for fear he would tell what he knew about cult practices. He said when he did get out of jail he would make exposures which would precipitate a raid on the "happiness circle" headquarters at 1182 La Salle avenue.

This cult is said to have been founded by Mrs. Evelyn Bee, wife of the founder of the "Absolute Life" cult. The "Happiness circle" now is presided over, according to the son, by Mrs. Lawrence, another woman and a man, 70 years of age.

"They have got after me simply because I knew they were doing things in that cult they shouldn't," said young Lawrence. "I tried for four months to find out all the things they did in the 'Happiness circle.' They threw me out again and again, but I got hold of enough stuff so that the police will raid them when I tell you."

Acted as Father's Detective.

Young Lawrence said he had acted as a detective for his father since his marital troubles began, and after his mother had taken his brother and disappeared he learned where Mrs. Lawrence and the younger boy were residing. He did this when he met his brother at Elm and North State streets when the latter was on his way to school. He promptly communicated this information to his father. At his father's suggestion he put the boy in a taxicab and took him to his father.

The next day, when the boy did not return, the older boy says that his mother made the charge of forgery and had him arrested. The older boy says he had no knowledge that the younger son would not be returned to his mother.

Mrs. Alice Lawrence filed a separate maintenance suit against her husband last August. She alleged that he had deserted her and that he was in love with a Miss Louise Huber. Mrs. Lawrence exhibited letters purporting to have been written by her husband while the latter was in Africa with the W. D. Boyce expedition.

Tells Side of Mother.

At 12:30 o'clock this morning Mrs. Lawrence, through her sister, made the statement that she was acting for the best interest of the boy.

"His mother had him arrested," said the sister, "because she wished to save him. He has threatened her in every possible way because she will not let Mr. Lawrence, his father, get a divorce. She went to him tonight at the Sheffield avenue station and pleaded with him. It did no good. The arrest was not so much her act as it appears, for the charge of kidnapping his brother was hanging over him while he was in the bridewell. The police made the arrest as soon as the sentence expired. Prosecution [illegible]

STATE'S BASIC LAW MAY BE REVISED

Constitutional Convention Is Said to Be Favored by Illinois Senators.

SURPRISE TO THE HOUSE.

Proposition Likely to Cause Clash of Two Branches of General Assembly.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Illinois is nearer to a constitutional convention than many people think. This is indicated by the statement from high official sources today that shows thirty-five senators favor a constitutional convention and are opposed to the submission of any of the proposed constitutional amendments now pending.

The general belief is this attitude of the senate precipitates another battle between the senate and the house, on the theory that anything favored by the senate will be jammed by the house.

Other Plans by House.

The presumption has been that the house wished to go along with the amendments backed by the committee of seven, which would bring about the initiative and referendum, combined with abolition of the minority system of representation. Involved is the proposed amendment which is necessary to make the revision of the revenue laws, as proposed by the state revenue commission.

Hearing Set for Thursday.

The senate committee on constitutional amendments, of which Senator Logan Hay of Springfield is chairman, has set next Thursday as the date for a public hearing on all of the questions and matters before it. The general invitation was issued by Chairman Hay for all parties in interest to send their representatives so that any necessary changes in the wording of the proposals might be suggested.

The news tonight that the necessary two-thirds vote can be mustered in the senate for the calling of a constitutional convention came as a great surprise to all interests who have been watching the progress of the fight for changes in the constitution.

STEAD'S NEW RULING ON FEES CLOSES UP STATE OFFICES.

Illinois Game Warden Suspends Operations and Other Departments May Have to Follow Suit.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The state game warden, John A. Wheeler, closed the doors of his office at noon today and the force of district and county wardens have been ordered to suspend operations.

This drastic action followed a conference in the office of Gov. Deneen in which there was full discussion of the real effect of the opinion of Attorney General Stead, holding that money received from fees by fee offices must be turned directly into the state treasury and cannot therefrom be withdraw without an appropriation act of the general assembly.

Definite decision will be reached tomorrow as to other fee offices and departments which have been conducted since their creation exactly as has been the game department. Pending the final words, the suspension of the activities of these eight branches of activity of the state is fluttering in the air:

Fish warden's office.
State board of pharmacy.
State board of health (in part).
Fire marshal's office.
Factory inspector's office (in part).
Food commissioner's office (in part).
Railroad and warehouse commission (in part).
Automobile department.

The only way out of the predicament which confronts the game warden's office and the others which may be involved is through an emergency appropriation measure.

MEMORY OF HORAN HONORED.

Marshal Who Lost Life in Yards Fire Eulogized by Marquette Council, Knights of Columbus.

James Horan, the first marshal who lost his life in the stockyards fire, was eulogized last night at a memorial service of the Marquette council, No. 244, Knights of Columbus, of which order Chief Horan was a member. The services were held in the clubhouse of Marquette council, 1126 Dearborn avenue.

OBITUARY.

MRS. MARY MORGAN died Wednesday at her residence, 9050 Prospect avenue. Mrs. Morgan was born on Ascension island, a British possession near St. Helena, in 1829. With her parents, she came to Chicago in 1842, and afterwards removed to Kendall county, Ill. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Sarah P. Reid and Mrs. Isabel Langley, and two sons, John H. Morgan and Edmund C. Morgan. Funeral services will be held at the family residence today.

JULIA A. ROLLEY, widow of the late Judge John C. Rolley, died yesterday at her residence, 4616 Magnolia avenue. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at Rosehill chapel, and a private burial will follow.

REAR ADMIRAL ARTHUR P. NAZRO, U. S. N., retired, died suddenly of apoplexy at his home in Jamaica Plain. He was born in Wisconsin in 1845.

Midwife Is Charged with Murder.

Mrs. Schutzer, a midwife, formerly of 1310 Eddy street, was charged with the murder of Mrs. Elizabeth Van Martin at an inquest concluded yesterday. Mrs. Van Martin, 2138 Addison street, died Feb. 10 as the result of an alleged illegal operation. The police are looking for the midwife.

Woman Who Is Called a "Persecutor" and Boy Said to Have Been Kidnaped.

MRS. GEORGE R. LAWRENCE

George Lee Lawrence.

RYAN BURIED; 100,000 THERE

Imposing Services for Archbishop in Philadelphia.

REFERENCE TO M'CUTCHEON.

Artist's Picture in "Tribune" When Leo XIII. Died Recalled.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The funeral of Archbishop Patrick John Ryan was held today before a vast concourse of mourners. It is estimated that 100,000 persons saw the procession around Logan square.

The body was entombed in the crypt beneath the high altar of the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul following services imposing and in keeping with the dignity of the high office held by the departed metropolitan.

Archbishop Glennon preached the sermon, and in speaking of the great sorrow felt at the death of Archbishop Ryan referred to a picture drawn by John T. McCutcheon of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE on the occasion of the death of Pope Leo XIII.

Reference to McCutcheon Picture.

"When Leo XIII. died," said Archbishop Glennon, "an artist furnished the illustration of a planet banded around in crêpe to tell us that a whole world wept by the ashes of the great shepherd and father who had fallen. Today sorrow may not be as universal, yet tears are falling in far-off Cloneyharp and Thurles; prayers are said and requiem masses are offered at the via del umilta and the vatican; in our own America the tears of the east are answered by the walls of the west; we are here to join our regrets with yours, and in our sorrow we would unite St. Louis with Philadelphia in a bridge of sighs."

It was one of the greatest funerals ever held in Philadelphia. Practically all the prominent figures in the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic church in the United States participated in the services and hundreds of priests from all parts of the east were present.

Women Faint; Lose Valuables.

Fifteen women fainted in the crowd in Logan Square before and during the funeral and were taken to the Medico-Chi hospital. When the body of the archbishop had been taken into the cathedral and throngs about the square had been dispersed it was found that the ground was covered with buttons, furs, handkerchiefs, overshoes, and other articles, torn from the persons in the crowd. There were many valuable pieces of fur, which will be held for identification.

SHOWN NEEDS OF UNIVERSITY.

One Hundred Legislators Inspect the Illinois Institution Which Asks $1,000,000 for Buildings.

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The University of Illinois' needs were pointed out on the spot to over 100 members of the legislature who came from Springfield and inspected the institution today. The university asks $1,000,000 for new buildings, and the visitors were shown the present cramped conditions. Chairman Shanahan of the committee on appropriations said he would do his best.

WHITE LIVENS GRAFT INQUIRY; SAYS ARTICLE WAS WARNING.

Kansas Editor Tells State Senate That "Pork Barrel" Editorial Was to Check Bad Situation.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—William Allen White, the Emporia editor and author, testified before the state senate today regarding the charges of crookedness brought by David Leahy, Gov. Stubbs' secretary. White's testimony was given in a lively vein, and when he had concluded everybody was in a good humor.

The Emporia editor testified that an article written by him on the alleged "pork barrel" in the senate was a sort of a "fire alarm" to check a bad situation before it gained too much headway, and that "it most certainly has set the prairie on fire, too."

He said his article was based on information given him by a senator, but he declined to give the senator's name, holding it a privileged communication to a newspaper man.

He expressed a belief in the honesty of all members of the senate personally, but said the alleged "pork barrel" was a kind of political bribery which is not indictable.

DIES DECADE AFTER INJURY.

Iowa Man Expires Ten Years Subsequently to Breaking His Back in Local Football Game.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Feb. 16.—Robert Dean, 30 years old, died here today as the result of injuries received ten years ago in a football game. He broke his back while playing with a local team and it was supposed he had entirely recovered.

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Realizing He Is Going Insane, Man Becomes Mad Before He Can Commit Suicide.

TELLS OF HIS STRUGGLES.

Flees from Sanitarium and Was About to Return When the Tragedy Takes Place.

William T. Keeley, former proprietor of a mail order business in New York, bought a revolver and a box of cartridges yesterday to kill himself because he feared he was going insane and might injure his wife.

Before he could carry out his plan of self-destruction the tension snapped and Keeley, a maniac, shot his wife four times. The shooting took place in the hallway of their apartments at 3963 Drexel boulevard. Keeley is 37 years old. His wife is 30.

Mrs. Keeley, who until her marriage six years ago was Miss Pearl Clark of St. Joseph, Mich., was taken to the Lakeside hospital. One bullet penetrated her left breast, another passed through her right leg, a third glanced from her skull, and the fourth struck her in the left forearm.

Tells How Plan to End Life Fails.

Keeley was arrested and in his cell at the Hyde Park station he told the story of his struggle against insanity and how he lost the fight.

"I am sane now, I will be sane for a time, but I wish I had killed myself," he said. "If my wife dies, I hope they kill me. I remember I decided to kill myself. My mind was breaking down. I could not sleep. I seemed to think some one was trying to poison me and accused my wife.

"Twice I have been in sanitariums. I spent six months in one at Kankakee and two weeks in another at Waukesha, Wis. I escaped from the latter place and came to Chicago. I was sane when I fled and thought I would recover more quickly away from the sanitarium.

Mental Trouble Returns.

"I again began to suffer from the same kind of mental trouble. At times when sane I realized my condition and once decided to go back to a sanitarium.

"I became so bad that my wife in fear stayed away from home yesterday. I realized I must have done something to drive her away, and decided it would be better for her if I killed myself. I was afraid I might injure her.

"So I bought a revolver and a box of cartridges. I planned just how I would kill myself. When I reached the house I did not expect to meet my wife. She appeared before me as I was going upstairs. I can't tell exactly what happened. I heard the revolver explode, but did not realise until afterward that I had pulled the trigger. I did not recover my mental balance until I saw the policeman in the house.

"I was told after the shooting I followed my wife as she ran into the house of Mrs. Martha Fowler, at No. 3961."

Wife Corroborates Story.

The wounded wife corroborated the story in its chief details and Keeley's 70 year old mother, the only witness of the shooting, told how her son was about to be returned to a sanitarium at his own request. He called upon Dr. James H. Blair, 3900 Cottage Grove avenue, a short time ago, and told the physician that he thought that his cousin was trying to poison him.

Mrs. Keeley's mother is a niece of former Postmaster Woodruff of St. Joe.

ACCUSE THREE OF CONSPIRACY.

Offers of $500 Said to Have Been Made to Clear Robber of Rector's Thief as Swindler.

Mrs. Emily Eastman, 815 West Fifty-third place; Joseph Burkhardt, a carpenter, 2982 North Robey street, and Henry Robinson, who was accused of having robbed Charles Willard, the Rector restaurant robber, were arrested yesterday, charged with conspiracy to defeat the ends of justice. They were released on $2,500 bonds each.

Assistant State's Attorney Claude Smith accuses the three of attempting to have Mrs. Carrie Mets, 536 North Clark street, testify in court today that Robinson is not the man who swindled her out of $500 by fake diamonds. Robinson was out on bonds after being arrested on Mrs. Mets's charges.

It is alleged that through Mrs. Eastman, who signed his bonds, offers of $500 were made to Mrs. Mets if she would drop the charges. The $500 to be used, according to Mrs. Mets, was counterfeit money, and she refused to accept it.

AGED, PREFERS TO HAVE CELL.

Prisoner Held for Alleged Book Theft Makes Statement at the Central Station.

A man giving the name of Charles Wahlman, 60 years old, who refused to say anything further about himself, was arrested for the alleged theft of a book in a State street department store yesterday. After being taken to the Central station he said he preferred to be in the bridewell.

CHILDREN SOLD? "NO" REPLY

Judge Pinckney Resents Charges Against Juvenile Court.

HOME ALSO IS ATTACKED.

Jurist Tells Bartzen He Will Gladly Welcome An Inquiry.

Sharp criticism of charges against the Juvenile court and the Juvenile Detention home by William H. Dunn, a manufacturer, were made at the annual banquet given in honor of Judge Merritt W. Pinckney at Hull house last night by the county and city probation officers.

Judge Pinckney, who hears all Juvenile court cases, said that in the three years he had presided over the Juvenile court Dunn had never called his attention to any specific instance of mistreatment of a child under his jurisdiction.

Among the charges made by Dunn is one that children are sold for prices ranging from $25 to $80 each by volunteer probation officers. The money, he said, was supposed to be a voluntary contribution to the society which placed the child, but that if the money was not forthcoming the child was taken away.

Got Commissions, Is Accusation.

The probation officers, he claimed, received commissions for the money they collected. Children, according to Mr. Dunn, have been placed in thirty-two states by the Cook county Juvenile court. In many instances, he said, the identity of the child is lost, so that if it becomes heir to property the child cannot be found.

Numerous instances were cited by Dunn of children whom he said were abused or separated from each other or their families.

Judge Pinckney denied flatly that children were "farmed out," to guardians outside of the state, as charged by Dunn.

The judge wrote a letter to President Peter Bartzen of the county board during the day in which he said that he would be glad at any time to investigate any charges of wrong treatment of children at the Juvenile Detention home, or at places where they were sent by probation officers of the court.

Calls the Charges Absurd.

John H. Witter, chief probation officer of the Juvenile court, said that the charges made by Dunn were absurd and unworthy of notice.

"Children whose parents are unwilling or unable to properly care for them are turned over to the Home and Aid society and the St. Vincent society by the Juvenile court, according to the faith the child was brought up under, whether Protestant or Catholic," he said. "These two societies dispose of the children to persons who are willing to give them good homes and who present the proper credentials as to character and standing in the community in which they reside."

WIDER CITY POWER IS SOUGHT; THREE BILLS TO BE DRAFTED.

Council Committee Would Extend Authority to Cover Speed of Autos, Bathing Beaches, as Well as Fireworks.

Wider jurisdiction in law making was demanded for the city by the council committee on state legislation yesterday.

The drafting of three bills aimed in this direction was authorized by the committee, which will endeavor to place them before the council next Monday and have them presented to the legislature as soon as possible.

The first of these is aimed to obtain the restoration to the city of full power to limit the speed of automobiles within its limits, a power taken away from municipalities by the motor vehicle act. The second is to give the city full power to regulate, control, and license bathing beaches; and the third is to give the city authority to prohibit the use of fireworks.

Attorney Joseph G. Tyszowski, representing the North Shore Commercial association, appeared on behalf of the bathing beach measure, and Marquis Eaton and other representatives of the Sane Fourth association spoke for the fireworks law. It was stated that while the city might determine not to prohibit exhibitions entirely its control of the situation would be strengthened by the possession of the power to do so.

The committee spent much of its time in consideration of proposed amendments to the police pension law which will increase the receipts going to the fund and also permit the pensioning of members of the police department who go insane.

Ald. A. J. Cermak obtained the committee's approval for his plan of extending the terms of aldermen from two to four years and for the same change in the law regarding the offices of city clerk and city treasurer. This subject will be discussed further Monday afternoon.

AVIATOR FALLS INTO RIVER.

Charles F. Morok Gets Dip in Hudson While on Flight at New York.

New York, Feb. 16.—Charles F. Morok, an aviator operating a Curtiss biplane, dropped into the Hudson river today while attempting to fly from the Guttenberg racetrack to Central park. He was rescued by a launch.

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RESISTS HOLDUP; SHOT BY ROBBER

Foreman Is Wounded When Attacked Near Panhandle Freighthouse.

HESITATES AT COMMAND.

Is Then Wounded; Assailants Elude Those Who Are Witnesses of the Crime.

Joseph Brosh, 1483 North Paulina street, a foreman employed in the freight house of the Panhandle railroad at North Clinton street, was shot and probably fatally wounded last night by one of two men believed to be robbers.

The shooting took place a short distance from the freight house at North Clinton street and Milwaukee avenue, where the men, both young and well dressed, stopped Brosh and commanded him to throw up his hands.

One of the men carried a revolver, which he pressed against the abdomen of the foreman, and at the same time seized him by the throat. Brosh, startled, hesitated and was shot.

When he was removed to the county hospital physicians said there was little hope for his recovery.

Freight Handlers See Attack.

Several freight handlers saw the men stop Brosh, but failed to see one of them press the revolver against the abdomen of the foreman. They thought the men were friends of Brosh, but when the shot was fired they ran forward, some to go to his aid, while others chased the men.

The latter ran north to North Clinton street, crossing the Panhandle railroad tracks as well as those of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Chicago and Northwestern railroads.

At West Kinzie street the men parted, one running east and the other west, and escaped.

An unsupported theory advanced by the police to account for the shooting was that the injured man may have been attacked by freight workers seeking revenge. Brosh denied that he has had trouble with any one.

Another Foreman Is Beaten.

A short time before the Brosh shooting, three men armed with "billies" attacked William Hill, 2226 Homer street, foreman of the Mills Novelty company, while he and Charles Hossman, also employed there, were walking under the elevated railroad structure at Halsted and West Lake street. Hossman fled to notify the police and before a crowd drove away the men they broke Hill's nose, knocked out three teeth, and cut his head. He could not account for the attack.

HAMMOND FOR TAFT'S ENVOY.

Proposed to British Government as Special American Ambassador to the Coronation of King George.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—John Hays Hammond, the mining engineer, has been proposed to the British government as the special American ambassador to the coronation of King George.

The British government is expected to consent to the appointment, although Mr. Hammond's course in South Africa just prior to the Boer war may cause a question to be raised.

Mr. Hammond has many friends among the English. He is wealthy, and, therefore, could meet the expenses which would attach to the service. He has been active in the organization of Taft clubs, and has obtained considerable political influence as a result.

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BUILDING RAZED IN BRADLEY FIRE

Celluloid Supplies Feed the Flames as Owner Sees First Blaze Since '71.

DAMAGE PUT AT $150,000.

Seyferlich Says Conflagration Gained Quickest Headway in His Experience.

Five which made spectacular progress for two hours last night against a deluge from forty "leads" of hose destroyed building No. 2 in what is known as the Bradley group at 217-223 Desplaines street, entailing a loss estimated at $150,000.

The blaze started in the basement, presumably from crossed electric wires, and in less than two hours after the alarm was sounded nothing remained of the five story structure save the brick shell.

One floor of the building was occupied by a comb manufacturing concern and supplies of celluloid and finished articles fed the flames as so much gunpowder.

Chief Seyferlich was burned about the face by exploding celluloid, but refused to go to a hospital and stood his ground, ordering first a "2-11" and then a "4-11" alarm, and later two "specials."

Special alarms brought thirty-five engines to the scene. Chief Seyferlich said the fire got under headway quicker than any he ever had seen.

One of the fire fans was J. Harley Bradley, owner of the building, who witnessed the only blaze he has seen since the Chicago fire.

His First Fire Since '71.

"I saw the second house burn in the fire of '71," he said, "and I watched that fire until 4 o'clock the next morning. The front face of this building was set in place the day following the great fire. This is the first fire I have seen since. A week ago I made up my mind I would go downtown to the next big fire. Fortune has it that I must see my own building burn."

The building burned has a frontage of 80 feet and is 150 feet deep. Butler Bros. recently leased it and were to move in May 1. The firm had stored some goods on the fourth and fifth floors. The third and second floors were occupied by the Premier Novelty company and the Pioneer Comb company.

The first floor was occupied by the Herman Boker Steel company and the Desplaines Safety Deposit company. This concern manages the Bradley estate and owns the building. A portion of the first floor was used for storage by Terrell Ward & Co., a mail order house. The basement was rented to a laundry and the Federal Electric Wire company. The electric company stored electric lights in the basement and electric supply wires run in there. The blaze started in the rear of this section of the basement.

Other Structures in Peril.

Half an hour after the alarm was sounded the blaze had broken from the basement through the first, second and third floors. Celluloid supplies on the third floor fed the flames like so much oil, and before the fire had been in progress an hour the entire interior of the structure seemed to be a seething caldron.

From three sides streams of water poured in, but the blaze gained headway in the face of the deluge.

Building No. 1 is adjacent and for a time the wind swept the flames south and it appeared that this structure, too, must go up in smoke. Then the wind shifted and the building at the corner, occupied by Butler Bros. for storage purposes, was threatened.

A light rain forced the smoke down into the streets. Firemen with difficulty could discern the openings of the windows. Then a breath of wind would clear away the smoke and flames could be seen pouring from fifty windows. Glass melted and the sashes dropped one by one as rope hangers were burned away.

Waste Vault in Midst of Flames.

On the first floor near a window stood the vault of the Bradley estate. At times the door looked as if it might be red hot.

"The loss on the building is about $60,000," said J. Harley Bradley. "I had insurance amounting to $40,000. The loss to the Baker company will amount to about $25,000."

The losses suffered by the other concerns are estimated as follows: Federal Electric company, $10,000; Pioneer Comb company, $5,000; Premier Novelty company, $5,000.

The estate of David Bradley owns ten buildings in this neighborhood rented by wholesale concerns, manufacturing companies, and mail order houses. Most of the structures flanking the burned building are from four to seven stories high and solidly filled with goods.

MATCH SPEED WITH DEATH.

Three Chicago Bakers Start on 5,000 Mile Journey to See Father Before He Dies.

Peter, Henry, and George Schlicker, brothers, start from Chicago tomorrow night on a race over land and sea, with death. They have it will take two weeks. Their destination will be Rochenhausen, a little town in Germany where the father of the three brothers lies critically ill. A letter has conveyed his desire to see his sons before his death. Peter lives at 711 South Forty-eighth avenue, Henry at 3508 Ogden avenue, and George at 702 South California avenue. Each conducts a bakery.

SAYS HE PAWNED STOLEN GEMS

Man Who Wired He Was Dead Brought Back to Chicago for Trial.

Walter Clark, a machinist, who is accused of stealing jewelry valued at $550 from Mrs. Ella Vinton, 4116 West Jackson boulevard, Dec. 14, and who was arrested in Detroit Dec. 17 after he sent a telegram to Mrs. Vinton, who is a relative, announcing his own death and asking her to send funds to have his body shipped to Chicago, was brought back yesterday by Sergt. John Flynn of the Central station. Clark told the police he had either sold or pawned Mrs. Vinton's jewelry.

BLIND CHILD SAVES BURGLAR.

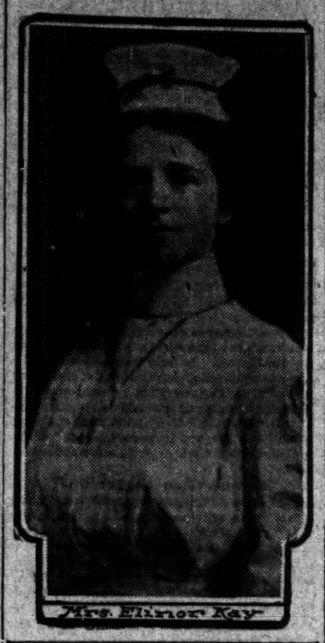
Gusher, Guilty of Penitentiary Offense, Sent to County Jail Instead on Account of Daughter's Dependence.

Judge Gaynor, 3 years old and blind, saved her father, Gus Schroeder, 5342 South Halsted avenue, from being sent to the penitentiary on a charge of burglary when he was sentenced yesterday before Judge Mc-Dunnough in the Criminal court. Schroeder was charged with breaking into a northwest side store and stealing several bottles of whisky. He was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail in view of the dependence of the child.

Notice on "Early Chicago."

Dr. W. Alvord of the University of Illinois extension department will lecture at the City club luncheon today. His subject will be "The Romantic Period of Chicago History—the Times of the Fur Traders."

Nurse Doctor Says Is Not His Wife.



Mrs. Elinor Kay

DOCTOR DENIES NURSE IS WIFE

But She Says "Yes" and Tells of A. E. Kay's Alleged Cruelty.

ADMITS TEARING HIS SHIRT.

Love Letters and Her Diary May Be Part of Evidence.

Is Mrs. Elinor Knapp Kay, a trained nurse, the wife of Dr. Abbott Elliott Kay, 2135 Park avenue, a west side physician?

She says she is. Dr. Kay says she is not. Upon the outcome of this dispute hangs the result of a suit for separate maintenance which Mrs. Kay has begun before Judge Walker.

The young woman—she says she is 28—claims to have been married to Dr. Kay at St. Joseph, Mich., on Aug. 12, 1905, one month after Dr. Kay secured a divorce from his first wife on a charge of desertion.

Tells of Their Fights.

Mrs. Kay's suit is based on charges of cruelty. Yesterday she declared on the witness stand that when they were living at the Park avenue address Dr Kay locked the basement door and let the furnace fire die out, saying that "maybe a cold house will cool your temper."

"Another time he pinched me," she continued, "but I ripped his shirt right off his back. I gave him just as much as he gave me."

Several letters written in endearing terms to Dr. Kay while he was still living with his first wife were shown to Mrs. Kay. Asked whether she wrote them, she replied that they appeared to be in her handwriting, but that she "didn't remember writing them." Her diary also was produced, but was not read.

When Attorney James J. Barbour, counsel for Dr. Kay, showed one of the letters to Mrs. Kay she crumpled it up and threw it on the floor, declaring that she had never written it.

Calls Him "My Dear Boy."

The missive, which was not put in evidence, read, in part, as follows:

"My Dear Boy: I am sorry I was so cross when you told me about your mother. I am sick of all the fuss that is made about us. If I am not good enough for you, we had better call it off. I am sick of this farce; not that I love you less, but it isn't my home. I look out and see your wife and children, and am ashamed to look your father in the face. The whole thing is wrong.

"ELINOR P. KNAPP."

The letter was dated Sept. 9, 1908, two years before the alleged marriage. Parts of the diary probably will be read this morning.

WANTS BACK FARM AND CASH.

Manhattan, Ill., Man Says He Was Ensnared by Wiles of Chicago Widow He Married.

Peter Bruner of Manhattan, Ill., filed a divorce bill in the Circuit court at Joliet yesterday, asking release from the alleged snares he says a Chicago widow successfully laid for him. Besides a divorce he wants back an eighty acre farm and $5,000 Mrs. Anna Flood Bruner raised on a mortgage he says he unwittingly signed with her. Bruner claims that before Anna Flood married him she lived with William Tyler in Chicago. Bruner is 62 years old. The woman is about half that age.

TWO CLERGYMEN SERIOUSLY ILL.

Dean Sumner Has Throat Affliction and Dr. Gunsaulus Suffers Attack of Grip.

Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, pastor of the Central Congregational church and head of Armour institute, and Dean Walter T. Sumner, dean of the Episcopal cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, both are seriously ill, the former at his residence, 2900 Prairie avenue, and Dean Sumner at St. Luke's hospital. Dr. Gunsaulus has a bad attack of the grip. Dean Sumner has been confined to the hospital for some time suffering with an affliction of the throat.

MOTHERS DESERT TWO BABIES.

North Side Residents Find Deserted Infants in Hallways and Summon the Police.

Two abandoned male infants, one about 1 month and the other 3 weeks old, were found last night in hallways on the north side. The first was found at 444 West Division street, a few moments after Dr. A. D. Radcliffe, a dentist, had answered a ring at his door bell. Twenty minutes later the police were called to 1108 Sedgwick street, where the other baby had been deserted.

EMBERS CHAR $2,500 IN STOVE.

Joliet Saloonkeeper Thinks Fire Is Extinguished When He Hides Money in Fear of Burglars.

Henry Martin, a Joliet saloonkeeper, feared burglars and so hid $2,500 yesterday in the stove at his Joliet residence. He thought the fire was extinguished, but a few embers ignited the unburnt money, burned the bills, and badly singed the bills. Martin will be able to redeem the money.

REJECTS AVIATOR TO MARRY TAILOR

Widow, Given $1,200 Diamonds, Seeks for Husband Man Less Liable to Die.

IS HELD FOR LARCENY.

Jilted Fiance Causes Her Arrest; Idea of Flying Gave Her "Creeps," She Says.

Believing that Mrs. Gertrude M. Sewell, the widow of a New York broker, would marry him, Robert Roberts, 6522 Jackson Park avenue, lavished upon her gifts of diamond jewelry.

They met in New York about Jan. 1, and came to Chicago together.

The widow first learned that Roberts was an amateur aviator when he proposed that the wedding ceremony take place in a flying machine. Mrs. Sewell had a "perfect horror" of being a widow for the second time, and she jilted the aviator, it is said, to wed Harold Becker, an unromantic tailor, who did not intend to fly.

Causes Arrest of Woman.

Roberts caused the arrest yesterday of Mrs. Sewell-Becker on a charge of larceny by bailee. He charges that the presents he gave her cost him $1,200. Now he wants them back.

Mrs. Becker, whose husband is employed by Kuppenheimer & Co., resides at 1148 South Ashland avenue. She is 34 years old. Her former husband died a year ago. She is the daughter of Dr. Elmore of Indianapolis, and she has two brothers who are physicians.

Roberts, who recently came to the United States from South Africa, is 40 years old. He fell in love with the widow on meeting her at a theater in New York. She told him of her bereavement and Roberts was sympathetic.

The second time they met Roberts proposed marriage, he says, and was accepted.

Wants No Flying Husband.

"I thought a great deal of Bob," said Mrs. Becker at the Harrison street police station, "but when I learned he was an aviator I changed my mind about marrying him. Aviating is such a hazardous occupation, you know, and I didn't want to be plunged into widowhood again if I could avoid it. Bob suggested that the marriage ceremony take place in a flying machine—a biplane, I believe—and it gave me the shivers. Had I known that he was one of those flying birds I would not have accepted his attentions. He's a dear good fellow, but the thought of marrying an aviator! It gives me the creeps!"

Mrs. Becker was arrested by Detectives Dooley and Handlin. When her husband got through work at the tailor shop he went to the police station and procured bail for her.

LOST M'DONALD GEMS TRACED; SUIT REVEALS PAWN TICKET.

Widow Believes Part of Jewels Were Shipped to Coast and Brings Action Against Express Company.

Believing that a package shipped from the State Pawners' society to Los Angeles Monday night contains part of the $10,000 worth of jewels mysteriously lost after the death of "Mike" McDonald, Mrs. Dora McDonald started suit in the Municipal court yesterday for $5,000 against the Wells-Fargo Express company.

The package was billed to Mrs. Pearl McDonald, wife of Guy McDonald, son of the former gambling king.

"This package was deposited in a safety deposit box, to which Mrs. McDonald, Guy, Pearl, and Cassius, another son, had access," said Attorney Asa G. Adams, who represents Mrs. McDonald. "We do not know under what circumstance it left the box, but learned it had been pawned here for $1,200.

"Last week the money to redeem the pawn ticket was sent to a friend of Mrs. Pearl McDonald in Chicago and the package started to Los Angeles. The express company will not make a delivery to the consignee now and we hope this suit will result in restoring the jewels to Mrs. McDonald."

DAINTY PARIS GOWN BEFUDDLES DEPUTY MARSHAL AUCTIONEER.

Doesn't Know Which End Goes Up, and Has to Have Buyer Straighten Out Silk Lingerie Creation.

Confusion and embarrassment upon Deputy United States Marshal H. Wilmot yesterday. He didn't know which end of a Paris lingerie gown went up.

He finally straightened the garment out with the help of the purchaser, Mrs. Solomon Lewinsohn, 4823 Michigan avenue, who paid $37 for it.

He was trying to sell six silk embroidered creations of French descent in the Federal building to an audience in which women predominated. The robes had a foreign value of $189 and a domestic value of $302.40. He sold them all for $177.50.

A "robe baby," worth $19 in Paris, $30.40 in Chicago, brought $17. One nearly like it brought $18. A robe valued at $25 in Paris, worth $40 in Chicago, brought $25 from Mrs. O. E. Bergeson.

The gowns were seized at the establishment of a local modiste who was said to have undervalued the gowns when they were imported.

CALLS WHIP A POOR TEACHER.

Normal School Educator, in Oak Park Address, Attacks Corporal Punishment in Schools.

Corporal punishment as an aid to education was declared to be a barbarous form of mistaken effort on the part of early educators by Prof. John W. Cook of the Illinois State Normal school, in an address before the members of the Whittier school division of the Parents and Teachers' association, Oak Park, last night.

"It is true that a great deal of the modern boy's development has been anything but beneficial, but the remedy for the existing evils does not lie in the biting lash of a cruder period," said the speaker.

Prof. Cook also said many men would be better off if they were well grounded in reading, "'riting, and "'rithmetic" than in a dash of miscellaneous knowledge.

PASSENGERS QUIT BURNING CAR

Conductor Locates Blaze on Roof at Foot of Trolley Pole While in Washington Street Tunnel.

Fifty passengers hurriedly left a Madison street car at 10 o'clock last night when it emerged from the east end of the Washington street tunnel. The conductor discovered flames on the roof at the base of the trolley pole. Traffic was delayed ten minutes.

Suffraget Leader and Aids Canvass Evanston Today.

[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

Anne Fox. ◇ Elinor Smith ◇ Fern Green ◇ Edna Forman ◇ Hazel Parry
◇ Mrs. Cathrine Waugh McCulloch. ◇

SHOWS GOOD OF CHEAP MEAT

Flank, Clod, and Other Cuts Capable of Fine Results.

CAMPAIGN TO LOWER COSTS.

Professor Says Packers Send Him to Reform Wasteful People.

Since the meat eaters of America of their own accord have not learned how to buy meat most profitably to themselves the meat producers have decided to teach them.

Prof. L. D. Hall of the animal husbandry department of the University of Illinois made this statement last night in a free lecture on the retail cuts of meat at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium.

The insane demand of the average American for certain cuts of beef, he contended, causes one-third of the animal to be sold at an abnormally high price. The remaining two-thirds, he said, are thrown away or shipped in barrels across the ocean to be sold in foreign countries for less than the cost of production.

He dissected a prime steer with the aid of a stereopticon. The poorest parts from an A1 animal, he said, are better than the best cuts from the ordinary "canner cow."

Some suggestions for using the cuts which sell at 6 and 7 cents a pound, were:

The neck should be used for meat loaf or hamburger steak.

The clod, a large boneless piece below the neck, should be used as a pot roast, boiling piece, or as an oven roast.

Chuck steaks should be cut two ribs deep and used as a roast.

Brisket, with careful cooking, is tender and tasty.

A round steak should be bought thick enough so that it can be divided into a steak and a roast.

ARRESTED AS ALTMAN'S AID.

John Nolan Also Accused of Shooting Organizer of Teamsters' Union.

John Nolan, who, with Vincent Altman, shot and seriously wounded Lyle T. McArthur, organizer for the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, was arrested yesterday. Nolan, who is said to have fired one of the bullets that hit McArthur, is charged with assault with intent to kill. He escaped following the shooting, but Altman, a former city policeman and alleged labor slugger, was captured after a short chase. McArthur's condition was said to be much improved.

DESPLAINES IS ON A RAMPAGE.

River Rises Five Feet in Two Days—Fear Ice Will Damage Bridges.

The Desplaines river is on its annual rampage and has risen five feet during the last two days. The ice has broken on the river and willows and other trees growing near the natural level of the stream are knee deep in water. Little concern was expressed yesterday, but farmers feared a bridge or two would be damaged before the ice is washed out of the way.

WANTS WIFE'S LETTERS BACK.

Former Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, Tried for $1,000,000 Army Swindle, Asks U. S. for Correspondence.

Oberlin M. Carter, former army captain, who was tried for defrauding the government out of $1,000,000 while an army engineer at Savannah, Ga., filed a petition yesterday in the United States Circuit court asking that private papers and letters written by his wife, now dead, be returned to him.

CHARGES NEGRO IS 'STRANGLER'

Victim of Attack Says Elaine Wilson, Under Arrest, Is Man Who Attacked Her.

Elaine Wilson, a negro, the alleged Hyde Park "strangler," was identified yesterday by Miss Lillian L. Schaffer, 6737 South Marshfield avenue, one of his victims.

Seeks Nine Years, Finds Father.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—After searching nine years, Cecil Roy of Chicago found his father here today. When his mother died twenty-three years ago, Roy was taken by his grandmother, who told him his father was dead. The search has no knowledge of the man's whereabouts.

MRS. LOVE ASKS FOR DIVORCE IN BILL FILED IN NEW YORK.

Former Marjorie Burnes' Plea Causes Court to Direct Advertising of Summons for Husband in Newspapers.

Mrs. Sidney C. Love began her expected action for divorce yesterday. Suit was brought in Mount Vernon, N. Y., and Supreme Court Justice Mills issued an order directing service of the summons of the complaint on Mr. Love by publication in two newspapers. Love is said to be in Seattle, Wash., where he went recently in hopes of repouping his fortunes. He formerly was a protege of William H. Moore, whose losses through Love were heavy.

Mrs. Love, who formerly was Miss Marjorie C. Burnes of Chicago, famed for her beauty, has been residing in England since her separation from her husband two years ago. It was expected she would begin her action there.

The Loves were married in Chicago in 1907, following Love's divorce from his first wife. The ceremony was an elaborate one. When Love's financial crash came they went to England. Later Love left his bride and she went to reside with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Burnes, in London. A few months later Mrs. Love applied to the American ambassador for protection from Love for herself and child.

BOY IS VICTIM OF MENINGITIS.

Seven Year Old Lad Had All the Symptoms of Spinal Disease, Says Attending Doctor.

Seven year old John Rigney, whose parents reside at 2011 Walnut street, died from cerebro-spinal meningitis yesterday, after an illness of four days.

"He showed all the symptoms of the disease," said Dr. August Jacobsen, who attended the boy. "I have heard of no other cases in the neighborhood in which he lived."

The body will be buried today in a sealed casket.

SUFFRAGISTS ARE OUT TODAY

Mrs. McCulloch Leads Co-eds in Evanston Campaign.

DIVIDE CITY INTO SECTIONS.

"Do You Favor Votes for Women"? Will Be Chief Question.

"Are you in favor of the suffrage movement or are you opposed to it?"

This is the question that will be asked by Evanston canvassers, who will start out today under the direction of Mrs. Catharine Waugh McCulloch to learn the number of voters that favor giving women the ballot.

Last night the canvassers, nine suffragist students of Northwestern university, met at the residence of Mrs. McCulloch, 2236 Orrington avenue, where the campaign was outlined. In view of the fact that a full day cannot be devoted to the work by the young women it will take from two to three weeks to get over the ground.

Get Final Instructions.

Those who met at Mrs. McCulloch's house received a bundle of literature explaining the movement and the reasons it should be advanced. They were: Fern Greene, Anna Fox, Bessie Wiley, Eleanor Haedinger, Jessie Moscrit, Hazel Perry, Edna Forman, Marguerite Lison, and Gertrude Miller.

Mrs. McCulloch gave each one a map of Evanston. The city has been divided into two parts. This morning the start will be made from Evanston avenue, the canvassers working east on Ridge avenue.

Three Lists to Be Prepared.

The second week the count will be taken up on Evanston avenue west of Ridge avenue. The names of persons favoring the movement will be taken on one list, while those indifferent will be put on a second. Those opposed will be placed on the third.

We Have Filed a Suit

On February 16, 1911, we filed in the United States Circuit Court at Chicago, a suit against a local department store to restrain it from advertising and placing on sale "*Big Ben*" Alarm Clocks at a cut price, in violation of license-restriction and for infringement of the United States Patents under which this clock is manufactured.

We will further proceed against any others who may attempt to advertise or sell "*Big Ben*" below the licensed selling price of $2.50, and take immediate steps to prosecute to the fullest extent of the law all concerned in the manufacture, use or sale of any clocks infringing our patents.

We will not be responsible for the condition, accuracy or durability of clocks purchased from persons who obtain them at second or third hand. We guarantee "*Big Ben*" for two years from date of sale when bought from jewelers as they obtain them direct from us, but we do not guarantee and cannot be responsible for them when purchased from any other dealers.—The Western Clock Mfg. Co., sole makers of

Big Ben

The National Alarm Clock

JILTED BY GIRL? SUES FOR $25,000

Alleged Bereft Swain Asks Money Balm for Wounded Feelings.

SPECULATION IS UNDOING.

Defendant in Breach of Promise Suit Says One Time Suitor Is After Another Now.

After he had lost his savings in speculation in the stock market, Frederick H. Froemke, 5418 Justine street, discovered he had lost his sweetheart, too. Was Mr. Froemke downhearted? Not a bit of it. The declaration of a suit begun by him against Miss Ella Marks, 1643 Garfield boulevard, in which he asks $25,000 damages was filed yesterday. He charges breach of promise.

"Well of all the nerve!" exclaimed Miss Marks at night. "To think of that fellow doing that. Why he's merely trying to get money out of me in order to marry another girl.

"Who is she? Well, Louise Froemke, my brother-in-law, he's Freddie's brother, who married my sister, told me Freddie himself said he was going to marry a girl named Martha. I don't know who she is and don't care."

Not the Kind She Liked.

Miss Marks admits she and Froemke were engaged at one time.

"We would have been married last June if he had acted right," she said. "But that fellow is too lazy to be any good. What money he didn't spend getting himself up to look like a fashion plate he lost in the stock market. He wasn't the kind I wanted to marry."

Froemke, who used to run a meat market before he lost what fortune he possessed playing the stock market, said he sought the money as balm for his wounded feelings. He said he and the girl became engaged shortly after both left the German Lutheran school at Fifty-fourth street and Ashland avenue.

Knocked Out by Cupid.

"She passed me up after I lost my money," he said.

"It was my first bout with Cupid, and he put me down for the count. But I have 'come back' and I have recovered most of the money which I lost in speculation."

"Would you marry Miss Marks now if she accepted you?" Froemke was asked.

"I should say not," he replied. "There's an old saying that a burnt child dreads the fire, and I guess I have been scorched."

Miss Marks is a daughter of Gottfried S. Marks, a wealthy shoe merchant at 4818 South Ashland avenue. She acts as her father's secretary.

Open Saturday until 10:30 p. m.

SHOE NEWS OF INTEREST.

Such a sale of shoes as we're having here doesn't come often, nor anywhere else, except in this store. You say not asked to pay one cent for what you get? Yes, but it's to take any chances here. Every pair of shoes we offer is best quality for the price—nothing better made. HASSEL'S.

$2.85 & $3.85 are prices within the reach of most men. We'll show you shoes at these prices that represent the most astonishing values ever offered in this city—shoes that are actually worth and generally sold for from $4 to $6, tans, plain black and patent leathers—all new 1911 styles, including the very popular new high toe effects, all sizes.

At $4.85 and $5.85 we have a showing of shoes here such as has brought to this store thousands of the best dressed men in Chicago. Hand sewn shoes from the finest shoemakers in the world, shoes that are actually worth $8, $9 and $10.

Oxfords, special, $2.45 the pair. Early buyers can clean up a handsome profit on a choice from 4,000 pairs, all leathers, values in the lot up to $7.50.

Charge Accounts Solicited.

HASSEL'S

Northwest Corner
Van Buren and Dearborn Sts.
Monadnock Block.

PILES

LORIMERITES TRY TO UNLOAD BLAME

Seek to Hold Beveridge Responsible for Delay in Reaching Vote.

INDIANIAN IS FOR ACTION

Illinoisan Gains Opportunity to Oppose Important Bills Pending.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The people of the country do not realize how tense the situation has become in the Lorimer case.

There exists the most determined purpose to obtain a vote upon a motion to unseat the Illinoisan, and there exists the most determined purpose to prevent anything of the kind. But through the entire chamber there is spreading the view that the senate must act; and the time is going by for excuses or for further delay.

The attempt now is being made to place upon Senator Beveridge of Indiana responsibility for postponement of final disposition of this case. It is pointed out that the Indianian has announced he will speak on the subject next Tuesday.

But the fact of the matter is that Mr. Beveridge has consistently and earnestly urged action. He asked unanimous consent for a vote a month ago. He repeatedly has asked for it since. Senator Burrows or Senator Hayburn has always interposed an objection.

Beveridge Is Forced to Delay.

It was the intention of Mr. Beveridge to address the senate today. But as Senator Borah of Idaho, who has spoken in connection with the election of Mr. Lorimer, had served notice in the senate that he would press the popular election of senators to a vote, beginning today, and as that matter is unfinished business and therefore has right of precedence, the Indiana senator was forced to delay his speech until next Tuesday. Saturday and Monday have been set aside for eulogies.

Senator Burrows has given assurances that a vote will be taken, but he, of course, is speaking for himself personally and his assurances do not extend beyond himself. In the meantime, Mr. Lorimer will be in a position to cast his vote against such important pieces of legislation as the popular election of senators, Canadian reciprocity and the permanent tariff board; and this is a consideration the opponents of those measures do not fail to appreciate.

The delay also is advantageous to Mr. Lorimer, since it gives him and his friends an opportunity to pursue the questionable and objectionable tactics they have observed from the beginning—tactics designed to prevent the disposition of the matter upon the merits of the evidence taken by the investigating committee.

Hope of the Lorimerites.

Moreover, it is believed by Mr. Lorimer's friends that in the crowded condition of business in the last few days of the session it may prove impossible to force a vote, particularly if the stream continues to run as strongly against him as at present.

An additional consideration is their hope that if action does come, it will be at a time when the attention of the country is distributed among various important measures and that if Mr. Lorimer be sustained there will be no general outcry.

It is perfectly proper that the United States senate should not be swayed by popular feeling upon any vital question. It is the duty of the senate to study the record and make up its verdict thereon and not permit any extraneous influences to warp its judgment. In this connection it is interesting to recall the words of Senator Cummins, uttered in the senate on Jan. 26:

I not only agree in the lofty sentiments that exclude from our consideration the opinion of the people and the comments of the press, but I broaden it so that it will exclude all the influences which have been aroused in this unfortunate controversy, for there are other voices than those of the general public and the newspapers which are quite as insistent and sometimes infinitely more powerful and which at times are heard about the capitol.

Borah Recalls Root's Words.

Senator Borah of Idaho, in the course of a powerful speech he delivered today upon the direct election of senators, recalled the recent remarks of Senator Root.

"In other words, the interpretation of article 1, section 5, by the senator from New York," said Mr. Borah, "gives us unlimited power to deal with the cleanliness and the purity of the election of members of this body, the same power which the house of representatives has with respect to the members of that body."

BAILEY CONVERTS TILLMAN.

New York, Feb. 17, 3 a. m.—[Special.]—The Sun today prints the following under a Washington date:

"Senator Tillman announced today that he will vote against the resolution to unseat Senator Lorimer. The South Carolinian stated he has reached this decision after a careful study of the record in the case and as a result of the speech by Senator Bailey in behalf of Senator Lorimer.

"'A week ago I would have called the man a liar who said that I would vote for Lorimer,' said Mr. Tillman. 'I was bitter against him and I had intended to help expel him from the senate. If there was any bribery, Senator Lorimer was not connected with it.'

"Senator Tillman, who has been in poor health since his second stroke of paralysis, wept frequently through the delivery of Senator Bailey's speech in behalf of Lorimer.

"Urgent appeals are being made to Democrats in the senate classed as doubtful to vote against the resolution to unseat Lorimer. These Democrats are told they ought to stand by the majority of the Democrats on the committee of investigation which signed the majority report of vindication."

CHAMBERLAIN AGAINST LORIMER.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 17.—3 a. m.—[Special.]—The North American prints the following this morning from its Washington correspondent:

"The campaign to save the seat of Senator Lorimer of Illinois, in whose election bribery and corruption were disclosed, has now reached the log rolling stage. Extraordinary efforts are being put forth by the Lorimer lobby to round up the necessary forty-six votes to constitute a majority, and various inducements are being held out to the wavering ones.

"Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, who was elected to the senate by the Oregon plan, and whose record is unblemished, said today:

"'I have read the evidence in the Lorimer case taken by the committee on privileges and elections. I have listened attentively to most of the addresses made for and against Mr. Lorimer. Those I did not hear I have read. I am strongly of the opinion that Mr. Lorimer should be unseated.'"

Plan Congress of Rocks Chancellor.

Plans for organizing a rock interview of all congressmen and senators were considered at a meeting in the Great Northern hotel last night by representatives of eight democratic clubs and voter societies of Illinois.

SEES RACE HATRED IN NORTH

Prejudice Strong as in the South, Asserts Senator Borah.

HE CHARGES HYPOCRISY.

Idahoan Makes Assertion in Plea for Direct Election.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—That prejudice against the negro is as intense in the north as in the south and that the north plays the hypocrite in its contentions to the contrary was asserted in the senate today by Senator Borah of Idaho. His declarations regarding the negro were made at the close of a prolonged speech in opposition to the Sutherland amendment to the senate resolution providing for the election of senators by popular vote. That amendment would have the effect of giving congress control of senatorial elections.

The Idaho senator's pronouncement on the race question was made in response to the recent assertion of Senator Root that without the Sutherland provision the resolution would deprive the southern negroes of federal protection in the exercise of the franchise. Mr. Borah dissented from the New York senator's view.

Prejudice in the North.

"The northern states have exhibited the same race prejudice that has been shown elsewhere," he asserted. "In the north we burn the negro at the stake and there, as in other sections, we have our race wars. We push our negroes to the outer edge of the industrial world. We exhibit the same prejudices, the same weaknesses, the same intolerance that is apparent in the southland."

Mr. Borah declared that if congress had power under the existing provision of the constitution, giving congressional control over senatorial elections, it should be exercised.

"If that right exists, the north has the greater obligation under it, because it makes claim to it," he said. "We assert the power but we admit we have not had the moral courage to exercise it."

Would Let States Decide.

For himself Mr. Borah denied the existence of any such power, and said that as the states are most vitally concerned in the matter of the election of senators, better results could be obtained by leaving the matter of elections to the various states. The deadlocks in New York, Iowa, Colorado, and Montana and the condition in Illinois, which, in connection with the Lorimer case, had been brought into the senate as an aftermath, were pointed to as corroborative of his contention that an improvement could be brought about through popular elections.

HOUSE REFUSES TO RAISE PAY OF SECRETARY TO PRESIDENT.

Debate on Qualifications Necessary Stirs Rainey to Remark Pugilist Might Fill the Office.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—The qualifications necessary for a secretary to the president were discussed in the house today in connection with the item in the appropriation bill fixing the salary of that official.

The senate had though $10,000 no more than adequate compensation, but the house, by a vote of 130 to 82, declined to concur, holding that $6,000, the present salary, is ample.

Representative Rainey of Illinois, a Democrat, during the debate made a caustic speech against the increase, saying he knew of no duties the secretary had to perform that could not be performed with equal tact by Speaker Cannon's negro messenger. He also asserted that some pugilist like Jack Johnson or John L. Sullivan might perform some of the duties of the office.

"It is not so long ago that at the order of one of these secretaries an old lady was carried screaming through the White House grounds," said Mr. Rainey. "If a $6,000 secretary would do a thing like that, in the name of God what would a $10,000 secretary do?"

ADMITS HE EXPENDED $12,000 TO ELECT SON TO CONGRESS.

Multi-millionaire Catlin Says He Instructed His Lawyer "Not to Use One Dollar for Crooked Work."

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 16.—Daniel Catlin, multi-millionaire, testifying today in Congressman F. F. Gill's contest of the election of Theron E. Catlin to congress, said he spent $12,000 in behalf of his son's candidacy, but his son did not know it. He testified the money was paid out by his lawyer, who was instructed "not to use one dollar for crooked work."

Senatorship Costs Him $10,490.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 16.—James A. Reed, United States senator-elect, filed his campaign expense affidavit today with the secretary of state showing he spent $10,490 in obtaining the Democratic primary nomination and in a trip to Jefferson City to be elected.

DECIDE IOWA CONTEST TODAY?

Kenyon and Deemer Gain and Friends of Each Hope for Senatorial Victory.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Confidence pervades the camps of the followers of both W. S. Kenyon and Judge H. E. Deemer in the contest for the Dolliver succession, and each believes that tomorrow will disclose the winner when the twenty-fifth joint ballot for United States senator is taken.

Judge Deemer had 51 votes and Mr. Kenyon 50 today, four Republicans being absent. Each gained four over the roll call of yesterday, a result which surprised the Kenyon men, who did not expect fifty, and disappointed the supporters of Judge Deemer, who expected to gain ten or eleven.

Kenyon is expected on the ground this week and his followers are preparing to make an aggressive fight for him.

RESCUED FROM HOTEL FIRE.

Six Women Taken Out in an Unconscious Condition During Blaze in Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 16.—Six women were rescued tonight in an unconscious condition from the upper floors of the Hotel Euclid during a fire which threatened for a time to destroy the building and which called out the entire five fighting forces of the city. All of the rescued women had been overcome by smoke, but none was seriously affected.

NOTES FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Doubting fraud and corruption were cause in the passage of the New Mexico constitution, appeal was made to President Taft by Representatives of the Anti-saloon league, the W. C. T. U., and other interests to use his influence against the adoption of the constitution.

Capt. Lochie Lambert of Galesburg, Ill., was today unanimously chosen by the house committee on military affairs for membership on the board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers.

ILLINOIS GAINER BY RECIPROCITY

Official Statement Is Issued Showing How the State Will Profit.

LUMBER IS LARGE ITEM.

Figures Prove the Farmer as Well as the Manufacturer Benefits.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—In accordance with the campaign of education which President Taft has inaugurated in regard to the Canadian reciprocity agreement now pending in the senate, a statement was issued today showing the extent to which residents of Illinois will benefit from the operation of the proposed treaty.

It is shown that the farmers of the state will profit from the introduction of Canadian products and that the manufacturing interests will profit from the extended market north of the border. A synopsis of the statement follows:

"It is proposed to admit into the United States free of duty all lumber from Canada not further manufactured than sawed. At present rough lumber is taxed $1.25 on 1,000 feet. On planed or finished lumber the rates also will be considerably reduced.

Value to Consumer Is Evident.

"The value of these tariff modifications to the American consumer is evident. The average price of lumber for 1,000 feet rose from $11.08 in 1899 to $15.87 in 1908. Meanwhile, the demand has greatly increased. Even under the protection at present in effect, the United States imported more than $19,000,000 worth of boards, deals, and planks from Canada during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1910.

"The American farmer will welcome the provision made by the agreement for free fencing materials. All duties are removed from fencing wire, whether barbed or not, as well as from pickets and palings for fences. At the present time fencing wires are dutiable at not less than 35 per cent and barbed wire at ¾ cent a pound. Pickets and palings are taxed 10 per cent. Since Canada has made considerable progress in the manufacture of wire, it is probable these alterations will have an effect upon the United States market price.

Cream Separators Big Item.

"Cream separators are to be admitted into the United States free of duty when from Canada. In the separator industry, also, the Canadian manufacturers have made considerable headway. Hitherto a 45 per cent duty has prevented them from attempting to offer their product to American farmers and creameries.

"Building stone and roofing slate are mutually reduced as to duty by the agreement.

"Under the reciprocal legislation both countries will remove all duties on live animals. The mutual rate on meats of all kinds will be 1¼ cents a pound under the agreement. This reduction should tend to keep down the price of living in this country. On the other hand, the lowering of the Canadian duties, which have averaged even higher than the United States, will permit enlarged sales of meat products to Canada by American slaughter house interests.

Packing Industry Affected.

"Aside from the benefit from free food animals and low duty meats which Illinois consumers will share with the entire country, Illinois has an especial interest in the reduced Canadian rates arising from her preponderant position in the packing industry.

"It is proposed to allow Canadian wheat and other grain free entry into this country. It is generally conceded, from the course of our export statistics, however, that the wheat which is now exported will, before many years, be retained of necessity to serve as raw material for our flour and grist mills.

"It will inure greatly to the benefit of both the grain milling interests and the consumers in the United States to establish relations with Canada which virtually will assimilate her grain resources with those of the United States, thus disposing of the North American surplus of grain to the best advantage. Illinois flour and grist mill products in 1904 were valued at approximately $40,000,000.

Farm Tools and Machinery.

"Canada has agreed to remove one-fourth of her duties on thrashing machines, plows, harrows, drills, horse rakes, cultivators, and parts of the foregoing, when imported from the United States. In 1904 Illinois was the leading state in the manufacture of farm tools and machinery, her output being valued at $38,400,000.

"Other Illinois manufactures which benefit from reduced Canadian rates include plate glass, vitrified brick, wire, brass, and confectionery."

BENNET WOULD ANNEX CANADA.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Representative Bennet of New York, one of the Republicans who voted against Canadian reciprocity, today introduced in the house a resolution requesting the president to enter into negotiation with the British government looking to the annexation of Canada by the United States. The resolution was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

In speaking of his resolution, Mr. Bennet insisted he was both serious and sincere. He declared that to his mind annexation was the logical result to be looked forward to following reciprocity. He declared the measure passed by the house was not equitable and would not please the majority of the people. He insisted he would ask for consideration of his resolution in the committee on foreign affairs, of which he is a member.

Several members of congress who favored the reciprocity bill expressed the opinion that the Bennet resolution is calculated to prejudice the two countries against final approval of the agreement.

The reciprocity measure will be considered by the senate committee on finance at a special session to be held on Saturday. It is not probable the bill will be disposed of in the committee in one day, although all its members are agreed that action shall not be delayed unnecessarily.

Senators Lodge and Smoot, who are members of the committee, today assured President Taft the bill would not be smothered in committee, regardless of how much opposition there might be to it.

Senate leaders are not sanguine of reaching a vote and many of them are inclined to the view that an extra session cannot be avoided.

Debate at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 16.—During the debate in parliament on the reciprocity treaty tonight Judge Warburton, Liberal, denounced the annexation conspiracy charge against President Taft, Premier Asquith, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier as insulting and absurd. In the distant future Canada might become independent, he said, but she would never be annexed.

J. B. Armstrong, Conservative, said that by the reciprocity agreement the Canadian government had sold Canada out. Salt, fruit, and railway men and manufacturers in Canada feared disaster, he asserted, and the "Toronto Globe" soon take the last Canadian salmon and the last ton of ore.

POINTS TO EVILS IN LAW PRACTICE

(Continued from first page.)

make law as well as declare it. What is to hinder as the next logical step in democratic progress having a referendum on opinions and judgments of the Supreme court, upon political legal questions—say, for instance a legislative apportionment—or, if that is too great a stretch of the imagination, we can have a practical question in the recall.

"The new Arizona constitution applies the recall to judges as well as to other elective officials.

Able Judges Driven from Bench.

"There have been instances in this state where for an unpopular opinion an able judge has been driven from the bench by a refusal to reflect.

"The recall adds one more terror to disturb the judicial peace of mind, when there should be only quietness of mind and certainty of tenure and of reflection.

"At bottom those progressive movements for greater democracy in the federal and state governments are based upon the suspicion that laws have been enacted largely for the benefit of dominant financial interests, to the detriment of the people at large, and it is time the people prove themselves the dominant interest by means of direct election of United States senators and the other reforms just referred to.

Causes of Discontent.

"Passing, however, questions of the future and taking up the present, we may ask what are the public causes of discontent with the administration of justice through the courts. In my judgment they may be grouped under the several heads:

First—The uncertainty of the law.

Second—The breakdown in the administration of the criminal law.

Third—Dissatisfaction with the law of master and servant.

Fourth—Impatience of the business men with the dilatoriness and expenses of jury trials in civil cases and the adherence to rules of evidence out of keeping with modern systematic business methods.

Fifth—The political power vested in our courts as one of the three co-ordinate branches of our federal and state government, respectively.

"And we must consider the simplification of procedure, as well as the codification of substantive law, but no one man can do that, either for our state or for the nation.

Much Criticism Well Founded.

"The disagreement of juries, the unexpected acquittals, the failures and delays in bringing notorious criminals to the bar, the long delays in securing a jury in much discussed cases, and the banality of individual jurors are daily themes of legislatives, statesmen, jurists, and writers. It must be said that much of the criticism is well founded.

"That remedies must be found is certain. We cannot go on as we have with increasing crimes and decreasing punishments."

Practice Act Discussed.

Today's session of the semi-annual meeting of the bar association was devoted largely to discussion of proposed changes in the practice act. Old time controversies concerning needed changes took up much time and no definite conclusion was reached.

Three hundred lawyers were present during the discussion and they were divided into three camps. Some favored the Gilbert bill, which contemplates a complete revision of the practice act; others favored recommendations of the drafting committee of fifteen, and the standpatters thought the present act needed little amendment and looked with disfavor on changes.

The committee of fifteen got comfort out of the informal discussion, which was taken as a gradual drift of sentiment toward its viewpoint. Its recommendations include the following:

Permitting hired process server to serve summons with same effect as if served by sheriff.

Providing that process may be returned at stated days during term of court.

Providing for reconstruction of qualities of a declaration.

Providing that before a trial either party may submit certain questions to the other party in the suit and require answer in writing under oath.

Providing for an appeal to a higher court from an order granting a new trial.

Providing that reversals of judgments cannot be made upon technical grounds if substantial justice has been done.

Giving the Supreme court power to make rules of practice for the lower courts.

Honor Dead Justices.

Members of the association assembled in the Supreme court chamber in the afternoon, where ceremonies incident to unveiling of portraits of all former justices, except one, were carried out. Illinois has had fifty-two judges of the Supreme court since 1818. The portrait of Justice Phillips, member of the first court, and of the present seven justices do not appear. Chief Justice Vickers presided at the unveiling.

WANTS NO COMMISSION PLAN.

Danville by Vote of 930 to 2,054 Refuses to Change Its Form of Municipal Government.

Danville, Ill., Feb. 16.—The commission form of government was defeated here today by a vote of 930 for to 2,054 against. There are 7,200 voters registered.

More Comfort for Motorists

The 1911 Detroit Electric Brougham sets a new standard of automobile comfort. It is the largest, roomiest electric brougham made—has 85 inch wheel base—54 inches between extreme of front and rear seats. It accommodates four people without crowding—with room to spare.

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LAYS BARE GRAFT BY SCHOOL BOARD

Pittsburg Voters' Civic League Publishes Warning to Offenders.

CALLS EVIL WIDESPREAD

Declares the Arrest of All Concerned Would Clog the Wheels of Justice.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 16.—Graft in the Pittsburg school boards as exposed in a bulletin issued to the public by the Voters' Civic League this morning has not yet received official notice from the district attorney. The latter said he would wait to see if the league would take up the prosecution of the alleged offenders as it did in the councilmanic graft cases last spring.

Offenders Too Numerous.

For a year the league, an independent reform organization, has employed detectives. It declares it intended to prosecute the offenders, but they were so numerous the arrest of all would clog the wheels of justice. The bulletin therefore is given the public as a warning to the wrongdoers that they might mend their ways.

No names are mentioned, but the personnel of the school boards of the individual wards—a representative from each of which is on the central board of education—is attacked, the charge being made "that the majority are gamblers, bartenders, saloonkeepers, political employes, placed on the boards to control votes."

Grafting Through Contracts.

The charge is made that grafting through contracts is prevalent to such an extent that it cannot be described. The report says:

"Teachers have been forced to pay for their appointments, janitors and truant officers held up, and when everything else failed the grafting directors always can borrow money from agents and contractors who do business with the school. The money is never returned."

"School picnics have become popular in recent years, especially with the lower wards of the city. Some of these school picnics have been nothing more than druken orgies for the directors and their dissolute and disreputable friends.

'I'M ALIVE,' SAYS ROCKEFELLER WHEN TOLD OF DEATH RUMOR.

Spends Much Time on Golf Links and in Automobiling at Augusta, Ga., and Seems in Good Health.

Augusta, Ga., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—When John D. Rockefeller, who is spending the winter here, returned to his hotel this afternoon from a long auto ride, he was told the rumor was current in New York that he was either dead or seriously ill. He smiled and said:

"Well I am alive."

When the report became current in Augusta it caused some excitement, as it was thought that he might have met with an accident.

Mr. Rockefeller seems in good health. He spends much of his time on the golf links and in taking long auto rides.

William Rockefeller Reported Ill.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—William Rockefeller, brother of John D. Rockefeller, credited with being the leader of those speculative interests in Standard Oil which have for years dominated the stock market, was reported to be seriously ill tonight in his home, 689 Fifth avenue. Mr. Rockefeller, it is understood, is suffering from pneumonia.

Dr. J. N. Dalbey Quits Office.

Dr. J. H. Dalbey of Elgin, who has been secretary to the penitentiary removal commission for two years, resigned yesterday. Dr. Dalbey was appointed secretary in October, 1909, through Col. I. C. Copley, recently elected congressman from Aurora.

DANVILLE JURY READY TO ACT

Orders 1,000 Blank Indictment Forms for Vote Traffickers.

CAUSES ANOTHER SCARE.

Tangible Evidence of Corruption Given by Witnesses.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Danville, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The Vermilion county grand jury took action today in the vote fraud investigation in Speaker Cannon's district, which wiped out the last vestige of hope in the minds of the politicians that the inquiry would "blow up" and accomplish nothing.

The action was a request upon State's Attorney John H. Lewman to prepare a blank form of indictment for vote sellers and an order for the printing of a block of 1,000 of such blanks.

The ordering of the big lot of indictment blanks came at the close of a hard day's work for the jurors. It was accompanied by a statement on good authority that the grand jury will make its second report tomorrow. It is taken to mean that several hundred indictments will be voted and tonight the ward bosses and the voting population of "shifting population" wards are keenly apprehensive.

Alarms "Men Higher Up."

The action of the grand jury in first "going after" vote sellers has caused alarm among the "men higher up," because of the fear that it would lead many persons whose votes were purchased to "squeal" on the campaign managers who bought votes.

This is precisely what the grand jury hopes for, and if it happens, will be followed by indictments against the vote buyers on the charge of conspiracy.

Tangible evidence of vote buying was given to the jury by Peter Comrie, a police sergeant, and Charles Quast, a Republican clerk of election at the primaries last fall. Comrie, it is said, admitted he bought the votes of thirty men for Sheriff John T. Shepard in the First precinct of the First ward. He said that Quast checked off the names of the men who were to be "fixed" on the polling lists. He declared, however, that he could not remember the names of the men whose votes were bought.

Quast's Memory Also Fails.

The testimony of Comrie led to an immediate summons for Quast. The latter admitted his part in the vote buying, but also declared his inability to remember the names of the "fixed" voters. His persistent refusal to "remember" resulted in a clash with Foreman Woodyard and George S. Weisiger, who have undertaken to direct the inquiry since State's Attorney Lewman was ousted.

They hauled Quast before Judge Kimbrough to answer to the charge of withholding evidence. He maintained his inability to remember names and was sharply censured by the court.

"I shall order you back before the grand jury for further examination," said Judge Kimbrough, "because of the more serious charge that may be brought against you for refusal to give evidence. I would advise you to search your memory more industriously this time.

Quast probably will be recalled tomorrow.

ATTACK ON BANKER IS FATAL.

New Yorker Succumbs from Injuries Supposed to Have Been Inflicted by Blackmailer.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Hugo Kardos of 332 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street died in Lebanon hospital early on Wednesday morning as a result of an attack made upon him by five men a week ago. He was manager of Mandel & Ikovits' Hungarian banking house. His countrymen, who live in the Bronx, are of opinion he was murdered by blackmailers.

Hunt for Graft Is Continued.

Grand jury investigation of alleged municipal graft in East Chicago, Ind., was continued yesterday in Hammond and among the witnesses who appeared before the inquisitorial body were Walter Spencer, city clerk of East Chicago, and a number of small politicians of the city.

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"We consulted our doctors at Chicago, where we resided at the time. After trying all the medicines of two doctors without any result, we read of Cuticura Remedies, and at once bought Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Following directions carefully and promptly we saw a result, and after four weeks, the door of face was as fine and clean as any little boy's face. Every one who saw Gilbert after the Cuticura Remedies was surprised he has a head of hair which is a pride to a boy of his age, three years. We confidently recommend the Cuticura Remedies to any one troubled." (Signed) Mrs. H. Albrecht, Box 61, West Point, Neb., Oct. 25, 1910.

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CHINO-RUSSIAN CRISIS REACHED

Czar's Government Sends Ultimatum to Peking Making Six Demands.

INVASION THREATENED.

Washington, Surprised by News, Expects an Appeal to the Powers.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—The strained relations between Russia and China finally have resulted in decisive action by the Russian government. According to instructions, M. Korostovitz, the Russian minister to China, has presented to that government a note bearing on the treaty of 1881, which China has seemed disposed to abrogate. The note contains six points and Russia insists upon compliance on pain of complete cessation of friendly relations. These are as follows:

I—Russia's right to impose import and export duties unlimited, except in the fifty versts zone which is duty free.

II—That the extraterritorial rights of Russians in China shall not be infringed; that legal suits involving Russians and Chinese shall be considered by a mixed jurisdiction.

III—That Russians shall enjoy special privileges of trade and duty free commerce in Mongolia and the extra wall provinces.

IV—That Russian consulates can be immediately opened at Kobdo, Khami and Guchen.

V—Due respect of the local authorities for Russian consuls.

VI—Russians to enjoy the right to acquire real estate and erect structures in Mongolia and the extra wall provinces.

Protecting Russian Subjects.

The province of Ili, which has been occupied by the Russians since 1871, and to which it is intimated troops will be sent, was restored to the Chinese by the treaty of 1881. Provision for the Russian inhabitants there at the date when the treaty became effective was made in articles 3, 4, and seven as follows:

The inhabitants of the country of Ili will be free to remain in the places of their actual residence as Chinese subjects or to emigrate to Russia and to adopt Russian dependence. . . .

Russian subjects possessing land in the country of Ili will keep their rights of property even after the reestablishment of the authority of the Chinese government in that country. This provision is not applicable to the inhabitants of the country of Ili who shall adopt Russian nationality upon the reestablishment of Chinese authority in this country. . . .

The western portion of the country of Ili is incorporated with Russia in order to serve as a place of establishment for the inhabitants of this country who shall adopt the Russian dependence, and who by this action will have had to abandon the lands which they possessed there.

London Watches Japan.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The greatest curiosity is manifested in diplomatic circles as to the role which Japan will play in the present Russo-Chinese crisis, and also respecting the attitude the United States is likely to adopt should Russia carry out her threats. It is believed, however, that President Taft's cabinet will not go beyond gentle intercession.

MINIMIZES DANGER OF WAR.

LONDON, Feb. 17, 3 a. m.—The Times in an editorial says that even on Russia's own showing the points at issue with China are not of sufficient importance to warrant recourse to force, which might result in a most dangerous manner on the whole situation in China.

SURPRISE AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Notice of Russia's intentions regarding China reached the state department today through the embassy at St. Petersburg. It appears the Russian government, wearied of what it regards as persistent disregard by China of her treaty obligations toward Russia, is about to bring pressure to bear to enforce her rights, even to the extent of a military demonstration in the province of Ili, the seat of the present trouble.

The whole incident comes as a great surprise to the diplomatic service here, for although it was known sharp issues had arisen between Russia and China over conflicting claims of jurisdiction in Manchuria and in connection with commercial privileges in Mongolia the situation was not regarded as critical.

That war will not result from the latest move of the Russian government is the confident belief in diplomatic circles here, for it is generally understood the Chinese are totally unprepared to meet such a foe as Russia at this juncture.

It is expected China will appeal to the powers, including America, for fair play. What amount of support she will receive cannot safely be foretold.

Should it be found that there is ground for such action it is entirely possible that the state department may use its good offices to avert war or the working of great injustice upon China by suggesting a reference of the matter to The Hague tribunal.

FINDS A CURE FOR INSANITY.

Member of Staff of Glasgow Asylum Injects Substance Into Blood of Patients.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Newspapers ascribe to Dr. Outred of the staff of the Glasgow insane asylum, the announcement of an important discovery which promises a certain cure for mental disease. The substance was discovered by a German professor and perfected by research experiments in Germany and Glasgow. When injected into the blood of insane persons it renders them immune from further attack.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg requested a postponement of the discussion of the constitution proposed for Alsace-Lorraine in order to give the government opportunity to consider the amendments adopted by a committee of the Reichstag.

The first salon of American artists in Paris was opened by the French government, under the patronage of M. Dujardin-Beaumetz, undersecretary of fine arts.

During a public reception at the Portuguese Legion guards a portion of the floor of the building gave way, dropping a crowd forty feet. Four soldiers and one woman were killed.

There was serious rioting following the burning of the Catholic convention, and many persons were wounded. Many shots were fired. The police were powerless. The governor of Oporto resigned on the result of the election.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Minister Tsu Tse, former minister of foreign affairs of China, who is now in the United States, contributed $1,000 to the fund.

Court Undecided for Postponement.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Justice James Lawson, Unionist, who elected not to run for parliament for the university, to take the place made vacant by the death of Prof. Samuel R. Gardiner.

Map Showing Where Russians Will Make Demonstration Against China.

VEGA'S ARMY IS RETREATING

Commander, Wounded by Insurrecto Bullets, Carried in Litter

MEXICAN REBELS IN AMBUSH

Waiting Arrival of Federal Troops on the Way from Sonora.

MEXICALI, Mexico, Feb. 16.—Defeated and in full retreat the army of Gov. Vega of Lower California is hurrying back tonight toward Ensenada by way of the Cocopah mountain pass, southwest of here. Vega himself is severely wounded.

This was confirmed today by couriers who got into communication with the fleeing federals. One insurrecto bullet pierced Vega's neck and another his left side, causing a serious wound. In a litter, rigged like a sedan chair, he is being carried southward by his men.

The main body of the rebels remains entrenched in the arroyos washed out by the Colorado river during the last rampage. They are waiting the arrival of the federal forces, which are believed to be on the way from Sonora by way of Yuma.

Mexico Seeks Peace Treaty.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

City of Mexico, Mex., Feb. 16.—J. Cruz Gonzales, formerly a resident of Guerrero, a close friend of Orosco, has been sent from Chihuahua, destined for Samalayuca, to confer with leaders of the rebels, to see if it is possible to arrange a peace pact. Gonzales left Chihuahua yesterday morning. It is not known exactly what powers he holds from the government to treat with the rebels, but it is believed he will sound the rebels to see if it possible to make some arrangement for peace if the government insures that the rebels shall go unpunished.

CONDITION OF POPE BETTER.

Dr. Petacci Thinks the Pontiff Will Be Entirely Over Influenza Attack in a Few Days.

ROME, Feb. 16.—Pope Pius X., who is suffering an attack of influenza, had a relatively calm night. Early today his temperature was found to have fallen from 100 to 99, only half a degree above normal. It rose slightly this evening, but Dr. Petacci found his holiness in a satisfactory condition, and expects his health will be completely restored in a few days.

GIVES DINNER FOR KING PETER.

Italy's Ruler Honors Servia's Sovereign, Toasts Being Exchanged at Banquet in Rome.

ROME, Feb. 16.—King Victor Emmanuel gave a gala dinner tonight in honor of King Peter of Servia. The sovereigns exchanged toasts, in which they spoke of the affection existing between the two reigning houses and referred to the peaceful conditions which permitted the two peoples to develop their respective resources.

KAISER TAKES AUTO DRIVE.

German Emperor, Rapidly Recovering from His Recent Attack of Influenza, Makes Appearance in Public.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The condition of Emperor William, who for several days has been suffering from influenza, was much improved today and he took an automobile drive through the streets of the city.

MAY SHORTEN COMMANDMENTS.

Convocation of Canterbury Now Sitting in Westminster Is Considering Proposal.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The convocation of Canterbury, now sitting in Westminster under the presidency of the archbishop of Canterbury, is discussing among other matters a proposal to modify and shorten the second, fourth, and tenth commandments.

Thirty Deaths from Bubonic Plague.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—Official advices confirm the fact that between Feb. 4 and Feb. 6 thirty deaths from bubonic plague occurred in the government of Astrakhan on the northwest coast of the Caspian sea.

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SEES EARLY ACTION ON VETO

Asquith Expects Decisive Work Before the Coronation.

SOME HINT OF COMPROMISE.

Premier's Optimism Lends Color to This View in London.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—In the house of commons today, after a nine hours' debate, Premier Asquith's motion, appropriating the whole time of the house until Easter to the veto bill, in order to get it through before the coronation, was carried under closure, 106 to 113.

During the debate the prime minister said he expected the veto bill would be sent to the house of lords early in May and that the lords would give their decision thereon before the coronation.

This optimism on the part of Mr. Asquith is interpreted in some quarters as indicating the possibility of a compromise. Thus far, however, the Unionists give no sign of relenting.

RUSSIA'S FASTING PRIEST GOES TO MEET HIS BISHOP.

Ten Thousand Parishioners Accompany Monk on Start to See Arbitrator for the Holy Synod.

TSARITSYN, Russia, Feb. 16.—The Monk Heliodorus of the Greek Orthodox church, who was ordered transferred from this parish to the diocese of Tula, left here today for Serdobolsk, the diocesan seat, to meet Bishop Parthenius, who was dispatched by the holy synod to explain the reasons for the transfer.

The transfer order resulted in much suffering by the monk and his parishioners, who vowed not to sleep, eat, or drink until the order of the holy synod had been rescinded.

Ten thousand persons escorted Heliodorus to the station and then returned to the church, where they will await the reappearance of the priest. The authorities are highly embarrassed by the situation.

SAVES CHICAGO WOMAN'S LIFE.

Kewanee Man Takes Chance of Death in Dragging Her from in Front of Train.

Kewanee, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Risking his own life, H. B. Black, representative of the Swift Packing company, Chicago, dragged an aged Chicago woman out of the way of a rapidly approaching train. She had fallen on the track and would have been killed had not Mr. Black leaped to her side and rescued her when the train was only 25 feet away. The passenger engineer, realising the danger, had applied the emergency brakes, but the engine could not be stopped until it had passed the place of danger. Efforts to learn the women's name were unavailing. She boarded the train for Chicago immediately.

WHITE SLAVE TRADER GUILTY.

Chicagoan Convicted in Federal Court in Cincinnati and May Get Prison Term.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16.—Jacob Fortney of Chicago is the first man to be convicted in the federal court of this city under the federal "anti-white slave" law. Sentence will be pronounced by Judge Hollister tomorrow, and the penalty may be imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine not exceeding $5,000.

Reward for Missing Art Student.

ROME, Feb. 16.—The government now is inclined to fear the disappearance of Henry Lawrence Wolfe of New York was the result of a crime. It offered a reward today for the discovery of the missing art student.

TWO ARE GUILTY OF RUSS MURDER

De Lassy and Dr. Pantchenko Convicted by Jury of Killing Nobleman.

WOMAN IS ACQUITTED.

Aged Poisoner Given Fifteen Years, but Accomplice Gets Life Sentence.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—The sensational trial of Count Patrick O'Brien de Lassy, Dr. Pantchenko, and Mme. Muravieff, charged with the murder of Count Vassilli Bouturlin, came to an end tonight, when a verdict of guilty was returned by the jury in the case of De Lassy and Pantchenko, and not guilty in the case of the woman.

De Lassy was sentenced to penal servitude for life, and Pantchenko to fifteen years' imprisonment.

The jury noted extenuating circumstances in Pantchenko's favor, which accounts for the lighter punishment meted out to him.

The trial aroused great interest and developed startling testimony.

Confesses, Then Denies.

Prior to the beginning of the proceedings Pantchenko made a confession in which he accused De Lassy of hiring him to poison Count Vassilli, who was heir to Gen. Bouturlin's millions. De Lassy's wife is the daughter of Gen. Bouturlin, and the removal of Vassilli would naturally mean that the general's great estate would go to his daughter.

On the witness stand Pantchenko denied the confession and made so many erratic statements that he came to be thought insane. Much evidence was adduced, however, to show that he and De Lassy had intimate dealings.

At the end of the trial De Lassy was overcome. He attempted to make a speech to the jury, but ended abruptly by saying:

"I cannot talk. I leave the fate of myself and relatives to your minds and your hearts."

Pantchenko's Speech Rambling.

Pantchenko, in an incoherent speech, said he did not repudiate his confession, but wished to specify the degree of his guilt. He said the question now was whether a Russian physician was capable of such a dastardly crime and to this he proudly answered no.

Petropavolosky, he declared, wishing fame, was the author of the poisoning story and said that a newspaper helped him.

"De Lassy did exhort me to poison Bouturlin," continued Pantchenko "and, thinking I had accidentally poisoned him, I told the magistrate so. But this confession seemed too little for him. He continually drummed into my ears, 'Confess, confess,' and suggested various poisons. Finally, in a weak moment, I told myself that if the truth doesn't serve, then I will lie. I mentioned toxin. The magistrate then said, 'Now we are going to be friends.'

Sorry for Making Trouble.

"Whatever the verdict may be, my conscience is tranquil with reference to Bouturlin, but tortures me because of four families whose peace I have violated out of rank fear."

Mme. Muravieff refused to say anything. The jury remained out three hours.

FEAR OF JAPANESE RIVALRY IN MARINE TRADE IS VOICED.

Delegate at Commercial Conference Says America Must Build More Merchant Ships Because of Canal.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—American ingenuity and effort should be concentrated to prevent the commerce of the United States from being carried under the Japanese flag through the Panama canal, in the opinion of James W. Porch, who addressed the pan-American commercial conference today on behalf of the Progressive union, the board of trade, and the Merchants and Manufacturers' association of New Orleans, La.

Mr. Porch referred to the project of the Japanese to build vessels to transport goods directly from the Atlantic coast of the United States via the Panama canal to the orient and likewise from the Pacific coast of this country to Europe and South America.

He declared the assertion that the Americans cannot build steamships as cheaply as foreign countries is untrue.

Mr. Porch urged the delegates not to send "peddlers" into South America to represent them, but "able merchants and commercial missionaries."

O. P. Austin, chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor, had just finished giving statistics on the trade of the United States with Latin-American countries when Francis J. Lowe of New York presented an affidavit made by Charles S. Price, formerly a confidential clerk in the bureau, which charged that while he was employed in the bureau instructions were issued in regard to the exports of manufactures "which would tend to mislead the manufacturers of the United States as regards exports of actual manufacture."

The affidavit averred that proof could be shown by referring to schedule B of the bureau, "in which raw materials are described as 'wholly or partly manufactured,' and which makes a tremendous difference in the declared exports of manufactures 'wholly.'"

Mr. Austin denied the charges.

FIRST TROUSER-SKIRT SHOWN

Parisians Condemn the Style; One Version Called Frightful.

MOB TWO GIRLS IN STREET.

Models Insulted by Crowd; Police to the Rescue.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The trouser-skirt appeared at the opening of the Paris racing season today. Two "versions" launched by two Parisian firms which are deadly rivals were represented, the "pantaloon skirt" pure and simple, consisting of baggy trousers with a panel of cloth between them, and a variation in which the trousers are draped by an overskirt.

The pantaloon skirt, carried out in blue satin, was worn by a pretty girl who sauntered the entire length of the paddock, her hands behind her, holding back a long blue cloth wrapped so as to show the baggy blue satin trousers fastened just above the ankle.

The trousers were attached to each other by a panel satin front and back, so the impression was rather of a sack with holes made for the legs to go through. The way in which the trousers were cut short above the ankle was considered to make the foot look ugly. With the costume went a blue turban surmounted by an immensely long blue aigrette.

Women Call It "Frightful."

The crowd in the paddock was much interested when this apparition came into view, but the comments were universally unfavorable. The women declared the costume "frightful" or "horrible," while the men said it was "droll." All agreed it was highly unbecoming.

Just behind the pantaloon girl followed two representatives of the rival school, who also failed to secure popular approval. Their costumes were a more logical development of the bobble skirt. Baggy trousers were wholly concealed by a slit overskirt which covered the trousers, while the girls stood still and gave only a fleeting glimpse of them when they walked.

Although the effect in this case was not so lamentably ungraceful as in the other it was unhesitatingly condemned.

Two Girls Mobbed on Boulevard.

It was necessary to send a squad of cyclist policemen to the rescue of the two girls who were promenading the new fashion on the boulevards. The models were found in tears and with their hair pulled over their eyes. They were surrounded by a jeering crowd on the Place de l'Opéra in midday.

Every minute the mob grew denser, while insulting epithets rained down on the luckless pioneers of fashion. The police cleared a path for the two girls, who ran to safety.

BATTERING RAM IS POLICE AID IN RAIDING GAMBLING ROOMS.

Ironclad Door Is Burst from Its Hinges and Hurled Through Partition, Narrowly Missing Men.

New York, Feb. 16.—A hydraulic battering ram, capable of a ten ton thrust, is the latest addition to the artillery equipment of the New York police force. It was constructed especially for the purpose of breaking open the steel "ice box" doors with which New York gambling houses and pool rooms commonly are equipped.

In the first test of the ram in a raid a six inch ironclad door of a downtown "club" was splintered by the machine in eight seconds.

The door was burst from its hinges and thrown violently through a partition, narrowly missing a dozen men in a corner of the main clubroom.

SEALING TREATY UNDER WAY.

Terms of Agreement Between Canada and the United States Are Made Public.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 16.—The terms of a treaty between Canada and the United States for the entire cessation of pelagic sealing in the Pacific for a term of not less than ten years were announced here tonight. The treaty was negotiated by the British ambassador at Washington.

HOOSIER STATE BIDS EXILES.

Gov. Marshall Invites Chicago "Expatriates" to Indianapolis for Three Days' Good Time.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Gov. Marshall, in a happily worded proclamation, invites all Chicago Hoosier exiles to Indianapolis for a three days' all around good time, beginning on May 20.

DREXEL BOWS TO BERESFORD FIST

Eye Witness of International Bout Says It Was the Real Thing All the Way.

TROPHY GOES TO BRITON.

Affair, Scheduled to Go Six Rounds, Stops When American's Seconds Say Enough.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—It was not an empty jest after all, that supper table challenge of Selon Robert Beresford, younger brother of Lord Decies, to Anthony Drexel to "have a go" with the gloves. It is all true, the fight has actually taken place and the winner is now in possession of a silver cup as a fitting memento of his important victory.

And it was no "half and half affair," either, but a real, genuine, hammer and tongs, tooth and nail battle, winding up with the loser helpless.

The scene of the encounter was the private gymnasium at the Gould mansion at Lakewood, N. J., and it took place in the presence of the members of the house party, who witnessed the display of fisticuffs with the keenest interest. The news came to the ears of a reporter today and he succeeded in getting full details of the fight from an eyewitness.

Scheduled to Go Six Rounds.

The fight fans assembled in the private gym at Lakewood Saturday night for the contest, which was to go six rounds. In spite of the fact that the training of the combatants consisted of whole hearted participation in certain wedding festivities they both entered the ring looking exceedingly fit. The Englishman weighed in at 166 pounds, while the representative of the United States turned the scale at 161.

Mr. Beresford had for his seconds Lord Camoys and Lord Alastair Graham, Mr. Drexel's seconds being Jay Gould Jr. and Mr. Moffatt. An English naval officer acted as referee.

In the opening round Drexel rushed in in true American fashion, apparently with the idea of forcing an early termination of the battle and earning for himself the title of "one round" Drexel. The English ex-champion, however, kept his head, and although he was receiver general at the start the end of the round found Drexel on his back on the floor as the result of a smashing left hook on the jaw.

Second Round Drexel's.

For the second round Drexel came up strong and well and continued his aggressive tactics. With a well timed right swing he landed on Beresford's head with such force that the Englishman momentarily lost his balance. This round was easily Drexel's, who got in several strong body blows before time was called.

At the start of the third round Drexel again rushed in, but was met with a heavy body punch, which staggered him. Beresford now got busy. He soon had Drexel guessing, and with a terrific left swing sent his opponent sprawling. Drexel was quickly on his feet again, but the end was obviously near.

With a left and right to the jaw Beresford had his man completely at his mercy, standing dazed in the middle of the ring, with his arms hanging listlessly by his side.

At this juncture Drexel's seconds admitted a knockout and dragged their man from the ring.

FREDERICK A. HOWE IS DEAD.

Part Owner of Ship Lady Elgin Expires at Age of 81 at Miami, Florida.

Frederick A. Howe, one of the oldest residents of Chicago, died yesterday at Miami, Fla., where he had gone to spend the winter. Mr. Howe was born at Barcelona, N. Y., March 3, 1830. He arrived in Chicago on the schooner Agnes Barton June 7, 1834, and ever since then has been a resident of the city.

His father, Frederick A. Howe Sr., was one of the first justices of the peace of Chicago. For fifty years Mr. Howe was the general western agent of the Grand Trunk railway company until he retired two years ago. He was a half owner of the Lady Elgin at the time of the ship's disaster in Lake Michigan.

He was for many years a member of the board of trade and was a director of the board for ten years. For the last thirty years he had been president of the Tolleston Hunting and Fishing club. Mr. Howe is survived by a widow, Mrs. Helen Howe, and one son, William A. Howe.

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CHANCE RETURNS AS AN OPTIMIST

P. L. Arrives from Coast and Gives Reasons Why Cubs Will Repeat.

BROWNIE ON SAME TRAIN

Manager Duffy of the White Sox Wires Comiskey He Will Be on Hand Monday.

BY I. E. SANBORN.

Bronzed, rugged, and brimful of confidence in his team, Manager Frank Chance returned to Chicago yesterday ready to take the tiller today preparatory to piloting tht Cubs to another championship and increasing the "500" club to "600." Accompanying him on the long journey from California were Mrs. Chance and Mr. and Mrs. Mordecai Peter Centennial Brown, equally cheerful and ready to combat any suggestion that the Cubs can't repeat.

The overland tourists were met at Joliet by an advance guard of friends, and at the Polk street station a bigger delegation added to the hearty welcome to our fine winter resort. The manager and his wife, as soon as they could escape the greeters, boarded President Murphy's car and were whisked away to their north side residence, while the pitcher and his wife found quarters at a downtown hotel, as they plan to go to Terre Haute for a few days with the home folks before the training trip starts.

Chance postponed visiting the club's offices until today, when President Murphy is expected to return from New York. Then they will get together and tackle the 1911 campaign in earnest. Chance is fit for it and looks 300 per cent better than when he left for the coast last fall. He has twenty pounds more flesh and plans to work off ten of it this spring, keeping the rest in reserve for the heavy strain of the six months' fight.

Why Cubs Will Repeat.

The Cub leader not only thinks his team will win the pennant again, but is willing and able to tell why he thinks so, and this is it:

"We will win," he said, "because we won easily last year with a team that was not at its best. With just the same men in the ranks the Cubs will be stronger than last season. I do not look for any such run of hard luck as we encountered all through 1910. But the race will be a harder one, because the other teams have strengthened. To offset that we have picked up a lot of promising material from which we certainly ought to gain as much new strength as that added to the other teams. New York and Cincinnati have braced their teams and Pittsburg must always be counted in the running. Fred Clarke is a grand fighter and you have to figure him in all the time, no matter what they may tell you about his team.

"The Reds will be especially dangerous if that man McQuillen is right. Much depends on him, but I believe Griffith can get the best he has and that means he will be a grand pitcher. With McQuillen added to the pitching staff Griff's bunch will be a tough proposition. His men can get on the bases and in the field, while they are liable to break things up at the bat any minute.

"Nevertheless I don't see anything but a win for the Cubs in the end. We are not going to have Reulbach sick with diphtheria and weak from the effects of it for the greater part of the season. We missed him last year, when Scheer was not as good as he should be, and Overall twisted a ligament in his pitching arm and could not help us in the latter half of the season. If we could win in the face of all that happened to us last year, I can't see how they can beat us if we have only the average amount of tough breaks in a season.

"You Just Watch Vic Willis."

"We have some mighty good material among the recruits and a lot of them are pitchers. We need only one good one out of the lot. Vic Willis will be a big help. I shall always believe he pitched Pittsburg into the championship in 1909. He did not go back as fast as many people think in a single season. I attribute his comparatively poor showing last year to the conditions in St. Louis. Willis is a cool weather pitcher and is best in spring and fall. It is awful hot at times in St. Louis and the heat weakened him. Chicago is far cooler and—well, you just watch Vic.

"There can't be any loafing, however, if we are going to cop again. Every man must be on his toes from the first start. I do not mean there are not going to be any excuses from the trainingtrip. Every man must be on hand. Yes, that goes for Kling, too. I saw the report he was not wanting to join us until along in April. If he was correctly quoted I presume that has some connection with the twisted fake interview which was sent out of California this winter. Somebody did some misquoting out there, for I never said Archer was a better catcher than Kling. I probably said Archer and Kling would alternate behind the bat to even up the work. Nor did I ever say Steinfeldt in particular would have to show me a lot to stay on third. Steinfeldt will have to show me something, to be sure, but so will every man on the squad. They always have had to show me, and they always have delivered. I expect them to do it again, Steiny included."

Browne Owns a Gold Mine.

Brownie was full of the spirit of '49 and brought along specimens from the gold mine in which he and Overall are partners to justify his enthusiasm over the venture. He reported a great time was had this winter, and boosted the climate in real native son fashion, still he thought old Chi looked better than ever to him. Brown said he had tried his fate on the links and it felt strong. Overall had tested his wing, too, and believed the ligament had found its proper place to stay, according to Mordecai.

The Brown's were at Chance's orange grove for a fortnight before starting east, and neither they nor the manager have heard from Overall recently. The big pitcher is sure to be on hand for the trip, they said. Chance thinks he will not ask Overall to come all the way up to West Baden just for a four day stay, but will let him step off in New Orleans and join the Cubs when they reach there.

Hugh Duffy Arrives Monday.

Manager Duffy of the White Sox will be the next celebrity to swing into view. He is expected by President Comiskey yesterday. The Sox leader will be here on Monday, and it is thought he plans to make the trip from Boston in company with the Boston team, which is due to reach here on Monday.

Manager Donovan said the Red Sox were scheduled to leave the Hub tomorrow night and land here early in the forenoon of Monday. That will give them all day to stretch their legs in Chicago before their California special leaves at 9 o'clock that night.

Donovan said he had not entirely given up hope of seeing Jake Stahl back in the game. He believed that when Jake read about a few free boggers with the bases full he would get restless and ask for a uniform. The manager admitted his hopes were not bright, however.

President Tearney was struggling with the problem of entering politics. He is wanted to run for Alderman of the Third ward on the Democratic ticket, and a petition already has been filed putting him on the list at the primaries. With the Three Eyes league fight and an aldermanic campaign on his hands at the same time, it looks like a busy spring for A. R. Tearney.

Jimmy Sheckard was in town Thursday on the act of working like a Trojan. He asked not to be given away, but we didn't promise to suppress the news.

Knight Signs for Three Years.

New York, Feb. 16.—Shortstop Jack Knight signed with the New York American league club for three years today. Contracts also were received from Bobby Wallace, a catcher drafted from the Canton team from the Ohio-Pennsylvania league, and Outfielder Bert Daniels.

Outfielder Got Claude Ritchey.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—Louisville has secured Second Baseman Claude Ritchey, for merly of Pittsburg and Boston, and Outfielder Orville Woodruff, both to report with Louisville, has signed with Indianapolis.

Johnson Confers on the Job.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati Reds and chairman of the national baseball commission, arrived tonight, the guest of the Boston Reds at Mike as a banquet.

Reds Recruit Goes to Topeka.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16.—The Cincinnati club today sold Outfielder Crumpton's contract to the Topeka club of the Western league.

Donahue Goes to Memphis.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 16.—Manager Hoch announced today that Patrick Donahue, the outfielder secured from the Boston Americans last year, has been released to Memphis.

THE RESCUE.

NO HIT RECORD FOR VOVESNEY

Pitcher Holds Team Helpless for Second Time in Three Days.

LAKE HIGH LATEST VICTIM.

Crane Nine Wins Third Straight Game; Final Score 19 to 0.

Standing of the Teams.

NORTHERN SECTION.	W.	L.	Pct.	SOUTHERN SECTION.	W.	L.	Pct.
Lane	3	0	1.000	Crane	3	0	1.000
Waller	1	0	1.000	McMillan	1	1	.667
Marshall	2	2	.500	Hyde Park	1	2	.500
Lake View	0	3	.000	Lake	1	2	.333
McKinley	0	3	.000	Bowen	0	3	.000

Pitcher Vovesney of the Crane team of the Cook County High School Indoor Baseball league buried his second no hit game in three days, the latest feat being against the Lake team yesterday, when Crane won, 19 to 0. This is the first time a pitcher has been credited with two no hit games in one season, although the records show twirlers holding opponents without hits in consecutive seasons.

Incidentally Crane retained its lead in the southern section. The top notchers hit the ball almost at will, swatting out nineteen safe ones, four of which were for home runs. Score:

Crane	R	H	P	A	E	Lake	R	H	P	A	E
Hales, ls	3	1	0	2	1	Greene'p, c	0	0	14	0	0
Moore, 2b	3	2	0	0	0	Joyce, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Dyer, c	2	3	10	2	0	Forrest, ls	0	0	2	4	0
Vevesney, p	2	3	0	1	0	St. L'nce, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Egan, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	Hough, rs	0	0	1	1	1
Crutch, rf	2	2	2	0	0	Slayton, p	0	0	0	0	0
Cohen, lb	2	2	2	0	0	Bunn, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Butzow, lf	2	4	0	0	0	Behel, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Moran, rs	1	3	1	0	1	Barton, 1b	0	0	4	0	2
Totals	19	19	21	5	2	Totals	0	0	21	9	3

Crane	4	3	5	2	4	1	0	—	19
Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0

Two base hits—Moran, Butzow (2), Vovesney. Struck out—By Vovesney, 19; by Slayton, 14. Bases on balls—Off Vovesney, 3; off Slayton, 4. Time—2:00. Umpire—Ashton.

Lane Tech., 11; McKinley, 1.

Lane kept pace with Waller in the northern section, winning its third straight game by downing McKinley on the latter's floor, 11 to 1. Score:

Lane Tech.	R	H	P	A	E	McKinley.	R	H	P	A	E
Apelt, c	2	3	14	1	0	Seiffert, rs	0	0	2	1	0
Arms'ng, rf	1	2	0	0	0	Faye, lb	1	1	14	0	1
Hallstein, 1b	1	2	9	0	0	Bunal, ls	0	0	0	1	0
Rebel, 2b	2	3	4	0	0	Erwin, c	0	0	7	1	0
Weiss, 3b	3	1	2	2	0	Albaugh, 2b	0	1	1	2	0
Pond, rs	0	0	3	1	0	Riley, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Schalck, lf	1	1	3	0	0	Goldberg, 2b	0	1	0	0	0
Hetzel, ls	0	0	0	0	0	Burness, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Barquist, p	0	2	2	0	0	Dang, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	11	17	21	2	2	Totals	1	5	21	14	1

Lane Tech	0	6	2	0	0	2	1	—	11
McKinley	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1

Two base hits—Armstrong, Rebel (2), Goldberg. Home runs—Hallstein. Stolen bases—Apelt (2), Albaugh. Struck out—By Barquist, 16; by Dang, 2. Bases on balls—Off Barquist, 1; off Dang, 1. Umpire—Bird.

Marshall, 9; Lake View, 5.

Marshall won its second contest of the season, downing Lake View in a loosely played contest, 9 to 5, in the Marshall gymnasium. Score:

Marshall.	R	H	P	A	E	Lake View.	R	H	P	A	E
Mally, c	1	1	14	1	1	Welch, c	1	1	15	0	2
Cohen, ls	1	0	0	0	0	Brown, rs	1	2	1	1	1
Mortimer, 1b	1	2	8	0	0	Peterson, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Brady, p	0	1	0	2	0	Hitchcock, p	0	1	0	0	0
Titus, rs	1	1	1	0	0	Smith, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Fair'r, 2b	1	2	1	1	0	Clark, ls	1	2	1	0	1
Zajicek, 3b	1	1	1	2	0	Dahlberg, 2b	1	1	0	1	0
Schlint, lf	2	2	1	1	0	Cook, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Greisp'n, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Rolczak, rf	0	0	1	0	0
						Flint, 1b	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	9	9	21	5	1	Totals	5	8	18	2	4

Marshall	3	2	0	1	2	0	2	—	9
Lake View	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	—	5

Two base hit—Fairweather. Struck out—By Brady, 16; by Hitchcock, 14. Bases on balls—Off Brady, 2; off Hitchcock, 2. Wild pitches—Hitchcock, Brady.

Hyde Park, 24; Bowen, 4.

Pitcher Roy of Bowen was hit hard and as a result Hyde Park found little trouble in downing Bowen in the latter's gymnasium, 24 to 5. Score:

Hyde Park.	R	H	P	A	E	Bowen.	R	H	P	A	E
George, ls	4	2	1	0	1	Carlson, lf	0	1	0	1	2
Bohrs, 1b	4	2	7	0	2	Cameron, rs	0	1	1	2	1
Cherry, c	4	3	10	0	0	Malanphy, cf	1	1	4	0	0
L. Thar, rf	4	2	1	0	0	Hoffman, c	0	1	9	0	0
Haure, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	Eberle, 1b	0	0	7	0	0
Parker, p	3	1	0	2	0	Lar'kind, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Wheeler, 3b	2	0	2	1	0	Pollock, 2b	1	2	5	0	0
Mee, rs	3	0	1	0	0	Pleva, lf	1	1	0	0	0
G. Tharp, rf	1	1	0	0	0	Roy, p	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	26	12	23	7	3	Totals	4	8	21	4	3

Bowen	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	—	4
Hyde Park	2	6	5	1	2	8	0	—	24

Two base hits—L. Tharp, Tassey, Roy. Struck out—By Parker, 10; by Roy, 13. Bases on balls—Off Roy, 6. Time—1:30. Umpire—Wentwright.

K. FITZPATRICK HERE TODAY.

Trainer to Make Final Arrangements for Big Princeton Event to Be Held Tomorrow.

Keene Fitzpatrick, the former University of Michigan trainer, who accepts a similar position at Princeton, will arrive in the city today to make final arrangements for the holding of the second annual indoor Princeton Intercollegiate track and field meet to be given by western alumni of Old Nassau at the Dexter park pavilion tomorrow afternoon.

The track of the old South Side arena has been laid out by surveyors, and other arrangements completed, but Keene's advice is sought in determining the spacing and finishing points of the different events, and also the best order to stage the contests to insure an early finish.

Fitzpatrick's main purpose of coming west is to get a line on the proficiency gained previous to the large event of the year that he is planning to extend the Tiger institution.

SPORTING CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, Feb. 17.—Basketball: Illinois at Indiana, Iowa at Lewis institute; Toronto Y. M. C. A. at Evanston Y. M. C. A.; Illinois at Indiana. Fight: Jack "Kid" Sullivan vs. Tony Ross, Buffalo; Rudolph Unholz vs. Jack Redmond, Milwaukee. Billiards: Brooklyn at Chicago.

SATURDAY, Feb. 18.—Basketball: "Tribune" high school and academy tourney, finals, Division Street Y. M. C. A.; Minnesota at Chicago; Iowa at, Northwestern; Illinois at Purdue; Toronto Y. M. C. A. at Evanston Y. M. C. A. Track: Princeton Intercollegiate, Dexter Park pavilion; Chicago at Illinois; Iowa at Northwestern. Billiards: Brooklyn at Chicago.

MONDAY, Feb. 20.—Basketball: "Tribune" 125 pound tournament, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. Indoor baseball: Waller at Lane; McKinley at Lake View; Medill at Hyde Park; Bowen at Crane. Billiards: Brooklyn at St. Louis. Fight: Digger Stanley vs. Patsy Brantigan, Pittsburg.

TUESDAY, Feb. 21.—Basketball: "Tribune" 125 pound tournament, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. Track: Illinois at Northwestern. Billiards: Brooklyn at St. Louis.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 22.—Basketball: "Tribune" 125 pound tournament, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. Fight: Sam Langford vs. Billy Lang, London; Carl Morris vs. Jim Flynn, Sapulpa, Okla.; "K. O." Brown vs. "One Round" Hogan, New York. Whist: Chicago tourney, Congress hotel. Requests: National championship, New York. Ice: Eastern indoor championships, New York. Billiards: Brooklyn at St. Louis.

THURSDAY, Feb. 23.—Basketball: "Tribune" 125 pounds tournament; Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. Swim: Interscholastic championship, I. A. C. Whist: Chicago tourney, Congress hotel. Requests: National championship, New York. Ice: Eastern indoor championships, New York. Billiards: Brooklyn at St. Louis.

ATHLETICS PASS OUT HONORS.

Washington Plays Champions on Day League Pennant Is Unfurled—Naps Appear When World Flag Is Raised.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—The Athletics' management today awarded two plums that the American league schedule doesn't show. Washington will have the honor of playing the world's champions on the day the American league pennant is unfurled, while Cleveland will meet the Athletics on the day the world's championship flag is raised. Eddie Plank sent in his signed contract today, and Hogan, the Pacific coast player, will be with the team this season.

M'FARLAND AND MORAN ARGUE

Old Weight Question Causes Delay in Clinching Bout.

NEW YORK MANAGER HERE.

Local Man Wants 135 Pounds at 8 O'Clock, Britisher at 7 O'Clock.

BY KNOCKOUT.

The fight between Packey McFarland and Owen Moran, the Britisher, which has been hanging fire for many days, will be definitely clinched for the Fairmont Athletic club of New York today. If it isn't there will be no fight between the two lightweights, at least for the present.

This practically was settled yesterday, when the men most concerned in making the match spent much time in an effort to settle the matter. James Johnson of New York, matchmaker of the Fairmont club was in the city to discuss terms with McFarland. On the other end Billy Gibson, boss of the club, was hooked up with Moran and his manager, Charlie Harvey. The net results of the negotiations were that the boys were satisfied with every arrangement made except that pertaining to the weight.

Agreement on weight has been an obstacle ever since the match was suggested, and yesterday the boys were no nearer a decision than they have been from the start. Moran in New York sticks steadfastly to his demand that McFarland make 135 pounds at 7 o'clock the night of the fight, which will take place on March 14 if an agreement is reached today. This weight McFarland refuses to do at 7 o'clock and demands they weigh in at 135 pounds at 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

Moran Firm in Stand.

There the matter stands and unless one or the other gives in the match will continue to remain unmade. Matchmaker Johnson, in speaking of the negotiations that have been going on, said that he understood Moran's reason for demanding concessions. He said that at no time does the Britisher weigh over 128 pounds for his fights. He also has explained that McFarland is far and away a taller and heavier man, which is some handicap, and that Moran figured the match would be equalized if the weighing in time was set for 7 o'clock. This would give McFarland only three hours to "fatten," while he would have seven if the weighing in time was 8 o'clock.

Both boys have been offered a guaranteed sum, but the amount of money hasn't been announced.

That Packey expects to fight was indicated yesterday by his strenuous work. He did five miles on the road in the morning. In the afternoon he boxed four rounds with Mickey Sheridan at O'Connell's gymnasium. Sheridan is a good "trial horse" for Packey and in their setto McFarland showed all of the cleverness that has made him a shining light in the lightweight division. After the workout McFarland weighed 137 pounds and said it would be easy for him to make the 135 pound notch. Packey expects to go to New York to finish his training.

Bouts for Hugo Kelly.

Even should this match fall through, Matchmaker Johnson's visit in the city will have been productive of some good, for he signed Hugo Kelly, the local middleweight, for a ten round fight with Dave Smith of New York before the Fairmont club for March 7. Smith is considered "fair goods" in the east. Should Kelly succeed in defeating Smith he will be matched with Frank Klaus, the Pittsburger, for the show to be staged on March 14.

Mickey Sheridan who meets Joe Phillips before the Eagles of Cleveland Monday night, is showing improvement in his daily workouts. "Kid" Howard, his manager, expects his man to beat Phillips easily, and he has been promised better matches before New York clubs if Sheridan is successful.

Frankie Burns, the boy who bested Digger Stanley, the British champion bantam, is after the scalp of the winner of the Coulon-Conley fight at New Orleans on Feb. 20. Burns will be a ringside challenger.

"Kid" McCoy Shows Speed.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—In an impromptu three round bout at the American Athletic club Kid McCoy "showed" Manager O'Brien that he has really "come back." In support of McCoy's claim O'Brien is exhibiting a pair of badly puffed lips and a swollen and bruised nose.

Johnson Challenged by Lester.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 16.—Tommy Burns, in behalf of his protégé, Jack Lester, has challenged Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight pugilist.

McCarthy Outpoints Bloom.

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 16.—Johnny McCarthy of San Francisco was given the decision over Morris Bloom of Chicago after a fast six round bout here last night.

All of This Season's Men's Overcoats on Sale

Comparative Table of Values:

All Overcoats that formerly sold at $18, $20, $22 and $25—

Now at $15

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Now at $25

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These Overcoats include all styles of garments, from the three-quarter length box coat to the long double-breasted ulsters with convertible military collar.

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There is also some very desirable values to be found in our suit stock.

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LOUDERBACK WINS WITH CUE

Brooklyn Player Beats Local Pair in 3 Cushion League, 50-40.

DEFEAT IS A BIG SETBACK.

Lauben and Kandul Find Eastener Brilliant at Angle Games.

Standing of the League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	24	12	.667	Brooklyn	19	16	.539
Pittsburg	17	10	.630	Philadelphia	13	12	.500
Kansas City	22	14	.611	New York	13	22	.361
Chicago	24	11	.500	Boston	7	29	.194

BY J. G. DAVIS.

Dave Louderback of Brooklyn proved too strong for the combined forces of Walter Lauben and Stanley Kandul of Chicago in the opening game of the series in the three cushion championship of the National Billiard league at Mussey's last night, defeating the local pair 50 to 40 in eight-nine innings. He averaged .561, with a high run of 4, the Chicagoans notching .440, with a high run of 3.

The defeat was a setback for Chicago, as St. Louis has a long lead. Tonight Charley Morin will be pitted against the visitor, in the hope of stemming the tide.

Coming from the depressing atmosphere of Pittsburg, where he lost three games, Louderback appeared to benefit by the exhilarating air we keep on tap in the loop district and gave a wonderfully fine exhibition of the angle game. He looks to be the strongest player that has appeared here in the tournament. Wearing a Vandyke beard and a black necktie, he easily might be taken for a clergyman, artist, or a diplomat. As far as billiards is concerned, he is a real diplomat, having a fine knowledge of the game both from the standpoints of execution and safety play. This he has acquired from association with Alfredo DeOro and John Daly.

He resembles the gentle flames rather than a fiery furnace in his methods, his game last night being marked by some wonderfully fine short angle shots, in which he executed finely with reverse English. The cue ball would go slowly to the cushion and, on contact, come faster away. He also was strong on naturals.

Twice when Kandul played deliberate safety Louderback counted once with a fine four cushion cut and the other time with a one cushion bank. While he had to be lucky to get them, they were fine shots and drew a round of applause. Score:

LOUDERBACK—0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 2, 4, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1, 0, 2, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 2.—Total, 50; average, .561; high run, 4.

LAUBEN—1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 2, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0

Only the Good Ones Are Hard to Land.

HINSDALE MEETS LANE IN FINALS

School Champions and Suburban Five Survive in "The Tribune" Tourney.

TITLE GAME TOMORROW.

New Trier and La Grange, Beaten in Semi-Finals, Will Play for Third Place.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Lane, 45; LaGrange, 24.
Hinsdale, 31; New Trier, 14.

GAMES TOMORROW (FINALS).
LaGrange vs. New Trier at 8 o'clock.
Lane vs. Hinsdale at 9 o'clock.

BY PREP.

Lane will meet Hinsdale High school tomorrow night in the Division street Y. M. C. A. gymnasium for the championship as a result of the contests played yesterday in THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE high school and academic basketball tournament. Lane won its way into the finals by defeating La Grange in a stubbornly contested game, 45 to 24, while Hinsdale earned that same right by downing New Trier, 31 to 14.

Although the margin of victory in each contest was fairly wide, it does not represent the stubbornness of the struggles between the four teams which clashed in the semi-finals. The losers were in the lead at times, but superior strength and more experienced team work brought their defeats.

Fouls were called frequently, due largely to the overanxiousness of the four teams, but only one player suffered the penalty of being removed from the game for having four "personals" checked up against him. The forced withdrawal came to Gilbert Keith of Hinsdale in the second half of the New Trier-Hinsdale setto.

New Trier Yields to Weight.

Hinsdale won its contest because it possessed greater staying qualities. New Trier, despite its lightness, put up a strong fight, but was up against odds, as Hinsdale outweighed it more than five pounds to a man. The lighter team started off in good shape, scoring two baskets before Hinsdale knew a game was being played. Then the victors counted a free throw, following this with two baskets and taking a lead which they held. Hinsdale started its combination after jumping to the front, and, by a series of well executed plays, made three more baskets and two free throws in the remaining minutes, ending the initial session, 15 to 7.

The second half was almost a repetition of the first, Hinsdale scoring 16 points in this period and New Trier 7. Time and again the little fellows would work the ball into their opponents' territory, when under the basket and near it they failed in attempts to cage it. Their forwards were not accurate, missing at least five out of six trials. Hinsdale, on the other hand, played a more scientific game, playing the ball more than the man and scoring most of its points by means of short, snappy passes.

Bahlman Strong in Attack.

Capt. Bahlman of the victors starred in the feature offensive game, scoring four baskets and three free throws for eleven points. He was ably assisted by Hinsdale's side kick Schmidt, who caged three baskets. Dorstowitis and Johnson again shone in defense and it was due to their strong guarding that New Trier lost many goals. For New Trier Kinsold showed the same brilliant playing as on the previous day, making four goals and two free throws, scoring all but four of the points made by his team. Lineup:

Hinsdale [31].		New Trier [14].
Hale	R. F.	Stuart
Bahlman	L. F.	Ely
Keith, Ruchty	C.	Schmidt
Johnson	R. G.	Pierce
Dorstowitis	L. G.	Kinsold

Baskets—Schmidt [3], Kinsold [4], Bahlman [4], Hale [3], Ruchty [2], Keith, Dorstowitis. Free throws—Keith [4], Kinsold [3], Bahlman [3]. Referee—Leonhardt. Umpire—Hoffman. Scorer—Jeffers. Timer—Lueshing. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Lane Defeats La Grange.

Lane, playing in the same consistent form which characterized its work in the Cook county league, downed La Grange after a stiff, hard contest. La Grange, like the loser in the other game, went into the lead at the start, but the advantage was held for a longer time.

The suburbanites counted a basket right at the start when Craigmile made the goal. Lane then scored a free throw and a basket, going to the front with one point, but La Grange tied up the score with another free throw at 2 to 3. Again, at 5 to 4, the count was even, but the losers broke away temporarily, retaining the lead until Lane passed them at 13 to 12.

Lane, finding its own stride, maintained the advantage, holding La Grange to five more points in the first session, while the champions counted eleven more.

La Grange played a stronger game in the second period, scoring eight more points and holding Lane to seventeen. This improvement was due largely to the advice handed out between halves by Coach Parse, who pointed out that the guards were allowing the Lane men to go uncovered.

"Midget" Clarke a Star.

To Bobby Clarke, one of the smallest players in the tournament, go the honors of the day. Clarke was everywhere and as a result scored seven baskets. Owing to his agility and speed in running down dribbles he was found to be a hard man to guard, and as a cog in the Lane machine he did brilliant work. Burke played his usual strong game, stopping many baskets and starting many plays which resulted in baskets. Davis and Miller made the best appearance for La Grange, each scoring eight points. Lineup:

Lane [45].		La Grange [24].
Clarke	R. F.	Miller, Thompson
Jones	L. F.	Davis
Dewey	C.	Ryder
Burke	R. G.	Craigmile
Johnson	L. G.	Fish

Baskets—Craigmile [2], Feeney [3], Davis [5], Clark [7], Fish, Burke [3], Johnson [4], Miller [2], Jones [4], Ryder. Free throws—Feeney [6], Miller [4], Davis [2]. Referee—Lisching. Umpire—Leonhardt. Timer—Jeffers. Scorer—Hoffman. Time of halves—20 minutes.

FIVES DRAW TODAY FOR GAMES.

Entrants in 125 Pound Basketball Championship to Know Time and Opponents for Contest.

Members of the managing committee of "The Tribune's" basketball tournament will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the physical director's office of the Central Y. M. C. A. fifth floor, 153 La Salle street, to make the drawings for the 125 pounds championship, which opens at the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. on Monday. Thirty-six teams are entered, one having dropped out yesterday to enter the 135 pound class, because two players would not make the weight. Managers of teams are invited to be present.

Entries for the 135 pound championship to be held in the Oak Park Y. M. C. A. during the week of Feb. 27, close next Tuesday at midnight. Entries for this class, also, are coming in fast, but the managing committee requests that the managers send their blanks at once, in order to facilitate the work and allow time to investigate the eligibility of the players.

Those desiring further information or entry blanks should address all inquiries to Harvey T. Woodruff, 210 Tribune building, Chicago.

Morgan Park, 42; Stinger A. C., 26.

Morgan Park academy defeated the Stinger A. C. 42 to 26, at Morgan Park. Ricketts scoring 25 points. Lineup:

Morgan Park A. [42].		Stinger A. C. [26].
Ricketts	R. F.	Hobeck
Hoffman	L. F.	Stephenson
Bazlett	C.	Derby
Hazlett	R. G.	Myrick
	L. G.	Wilkenson

Baskets—Ricketts [12], Hecks [4], Shaw [3], Bazlett [2], Hornbeck [5], Stephenson [3], Derby [1]. Free throws—Ricketts, Hecks, Stephenson 10, Derby.

Cornell Square Wins Title.

Cornell Square won the 125 pound south park playgrounds basketball title last night in the Hamilton Park gymnasium, defeating the Palmer Park team, 30 to 16. Cornell Square led all the way, leading the first half 20 to 8. The work of the Cornell forwards was the feature.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

The thoroughbred breeders (or breeders of thoroughbreds) of California are taking heart of grace. They see in the downfall of racing for "better purposes only" an opportunity to get across their own ideas as to what relation the racing of horses should sustain to the breeding of them. The California Jockey club not only persistently ignored the sturdy yeomen but resented any suggestions coming from them as to the best, or least objectionable, line to pursue in the conduct of the sport and the way to avoid what has happened. The breeders now hope to erect on the ruins of the California Jockey club, using no part of the old material, a racing institution that will be tolerable in the eyes of the reform element, which eyes have seen no more clearly than their own that a continuous grind of systematized gambling is destructive of morals and business. California will have racing again before 1916, the year of the Panama exposition, but it will not be in the clutch of one man who has had no ambition in the sport but to pose as the medium between the bookmaker and his victim, grabbing his rakeoff as it passes both ways.

Jake Stahl's retirement from baseball was so radically unlike the stereotyped form in such cases made and provided that until yesterday nobody believed it "went." Stahl simply quit in so many words—quit at normal temperature and remained quit. The publicity possibilities of enshrouding his intentions in mystery did not appeal to him. Had he assumed the customary attitude he would have served the purpose of swelling by several columns the superfluity of winter truck. Sweet of him, truly.

SPEEDING THE PARTING ATHLETE.

When—
A player passes suddenly from sight,
"With all his blushing honors thick upon him,"
When he has bade his one and last good-night
And doffed the spangles, evermore to don 'em—
They pelt him with a volley of regrets
And tell him how the pastime ill can spare him,
And hold him as their choicest de beta,
Whatever line of effort may ensnare him.

But—
If he's been quitting for a dozen years—
Threatening to quit, but never quitting,
Always telling them his sails are bent to flit,
Then standing on the order of his flitting—
They have no fond regrets to throw his way
When he at last has reached his limitations.
"They've got to him at last," you'll hear them say;
"Good riddance to his holdout imitations."

The National league concluded that with nothing to do that could not be done quickly there was no useful purpose in prolonging its spring meeting "just to be different."

IN A MANNER SPEAKING.

Well,
Everybody
Seems
to Be
Satisfied
with
the
Schedules.

Although, perhaps, the semi-pros may view with some chagrin the way the Chicago Sunday has been swarmed upon by both big leagues.

We doubt if any of those "amateurs" in the current billiard tournament could stand a search. Without turning state's evidence, we are willing to affirm that some of them couldn't.

Fat chance to separate the National league "official ball" from the trademark it always has borne. These rival bids, even granted they are made in all sincerity, may make the contract a little more of a "luxury" to the "firm," but the firm must have it and therefore has it. Shouldn't be surprised to hear some hints of a "holdup" in this connection when the conversation becomes general.

Are the umpires to be subjected to an eye test before they finally are passed upon?
No.
Giddap!

The showing that Knockout Brown made against Ad Wolgast waxes in importance the more it is dwelt upon by the eastern critics. There is a seeming disposition to strip Wolgast of the last vestige of excuse and make Brown stand out clearly as the champion's master. The next move will be to give him the title on the growing strength of that one engagement.

GOPHER FIVE BEATS PURDUE

Hands Boilermakers First Defeat of Year, 19 to 15.

VICTORY IN SECOND PERIOD.

Home Quintet Leads at Half Time, 12 to 10, but Is Weak in Second.

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Minnesota by brilliant playing on the part of Lawler and Frank in the second half triumphed over the Purdue basketball team tonight, 19 to 15, giving the locals its first defeat of the season. The inability of Charters to throw goals from fouls largely was responsible for the defeat of the Boilermakers. Purdue was ahead, 12 to 10, in the first half. McVaugh and Stockton were the particular stars for Purdue. The defeat was a great disappointment to Purdue rooters. Lineup:

Purdue [15].		Minnesota. [19].
McVaugh	R. F.	Rosenwald
Barr	L. F.	Robilliard
Charters	C.	Walker
Stockton	R. G.	Lawler
Johnston	L. G.	Frank

Baskets—McVaugh, 3; Charters, 3; Johnston, 2; Lawler, 3; Frank, 2; Walker, 2. Free throws—Charters, Lawler, 8. Officials—Reinman and Liddle.

MAROON FRESHMEN WIN TWO.

Regulars Defeat First M. E. Church Team, 37 to 29, While Seconds Down Paulists, 30 to 17.

The University of Chicago freshmen basketball squads took two games last night. The regulars beat the First M. E. church team 37 to 29 and another squad won from the Paulist A. A., 30 to 17. Lineups:

Freshmen [37].		First M. E. Church [29].
Molander, Doll	R. F.	Reng
Norgren	L. F.	Sullivan
Pollak	C.	Parker
Nett, Fletcher	R. G.	Detl, Snow
Brooks, Kolvinski	L. G.	McClane

Baskets—Molander [7], Norgren [2], Pollak [5], Nett, Kolvinski, Fletcher, Reng [4], Sullivan [6], Parker [2], Detl [3], McClane. Free throws—Molander [3], Reng.

Freshmen [30].		Paulist A. A. [17].
Fletcher, Kolvinski	R. F.	Kammert, Frely
Doll	L. F.	Keown
Pape, Norgren	C.	Murray, Dooley
E. Nett	R. G.	Kustuf, Roach
Hoffman	L. G.	Holway

Baskets—Fletcher [6], Kolvinski [4], Doll, Pape, Norgren, Nett, Frely [2], Keown [3], Murray [2], Kustuf. Free throws—Pape [2], Kustuf.

De Paul Midgets, 38; Logans, 16.

De Paul Midgets scored an easy victory over the Logans yesterday at De Paul university gymnasium, 38 to 16. O'Toole and Holland did the best work for the Midgets, while Stone was the mainstay of the losers. Lineup:

Midgets [38].		Logans [16].
Holland	R. F.	Nelson
Conway, O'Malley	L. F.	Bartel
O'Toole	C.	Stone
Gannon	R. G.	Tattershall
O'Connor	L. G.	Fransen

Baskets—O'Toole [6], Holland [6], O'Malley [4], Conway [3], Nelson [2], Stone [2], Bartel [2], O'Connor, Fransen, Tattershall. Free throws—O'Connor [2]. Referee—Kolb. Umpire—Walsh.

Leavitts, 26; Welsh-American, 10.

The Leavitt Street Congregational church team downed the Welsh-American club last night in the former's gymnasium, 26 to 10. Lineup:

Leavitts [26].		Welsh-Americans [10].
Merrill	R. F.	W. Ellis
Frank	L. F.	H. Owen, Jones
McNeely	C.	H. Jones
Weslke	R. G.	H. Owen, E. Jones
Thorneycroft	L. G.	W. Jones, D. Jones

Baskets—Merrill, 8; Frank, 8; McNeely, 2; W. Ellis, 1; H. Jones, 3; E. Jones, 1.

Parsons, 32; Central 24.

Fairfield, Ia., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Parsons college defeated Central college, 32 to 24, in a basketball contest tonight.

HARVARD ISSUES FALL DATES.

Football Schedule Is Hardest Crimson Team Has Ever Had—Plays Yale on Nov. 25.

New York, Feb. 16.—The completed schedule for the Harvard football eleven next fall, as officially announced by the athletic committee, shows the hardest list of contests that a Crimson team ever has had on the gridiron. Nine games are on the programme, and owning to the lateness of the Yale contest, which comes Nov. 25, only Saturday of Thanksgiving week is left open. The schedule is as follows: Sept. 30.—Bates; Oct. 7.—Bowdoin; Oct. 14.—Williams; Oct. 21.—Amherst; Oct. 28.—Brown; Nov. 4.—Princeton; Nov. 11.—Carlisle; Nov. 18—Dartmouth; Nov. 25—Yale. All the contests are played at Cambridge except the Princeton game.

MILWAUKEE TO SEE BIG GAME.

Representatives of Notre Dame and Marquette Decide to Retain Present Scene of Contest.

The 1913 Marquette-Notre Dame football game will be played, as for years past, at Milwaukee on Thanksgiving day. This was decided yesterday at a conference in this city of Notre Dame and Marquette athletic representatives, who ruled against the proposal to change the game to Chicago. Notre Dame already had rented Comiskey's park. But Milwaukee's representatives declared that Milwaukee was beginning to turn out big crowds for football games, and objected to the historic Thanksgiving day game being shifted to Chicago. The Marquette man's insistence finally won the day.

Stiehm Elected Nebraska Coach.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—By unanimous vote of the University of Nebraska athletic board tonight E. O. Stiehm, an alumnus of Wisconsin, who at present is athletic director of Ripon college, was elected faculty football coach and college athletic director of Nebraska. Only two names came before the board, Stiehm and C. G. Childs of Yale.

BOB R. IS FIRST IN FEATURE

Public Beats Good Field in Handicap at Jacksonville.

CLOSE FINISH IN ONE EVENT.

Official Placing Necessary When Oakhurst Wins Fifth Race.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16.—Bob R., the public choice, won the feature event, a mile and a sixteenth handicap, from a good field at Moncrief this afternoon. The closest finish of the meeting came with the running of the fifth race, when Oakhurst, Ben Double, and Sylvestris finished on almost even terms, and it required the official placing which was in the order named to determine the winner. Only two pronounced favorites were successful. Summaries:

First race, ½ mile—Mary Lee Johnson, 107 [Gross], 7 to 1, won; American Girl, 13 to 10, second; Irishtown, 6 to 1, third. Time, :48 4-5. Sauce, Electric, Egiantine, Lavinia H., Tillie's Nightmare, Blow Out, and Mabel Virginia ran.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Mary Fox, 115 [Burns], 15 to 5, won; La U Mexican, 11 to 5, second; Cardiff, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Firewood, Springmass, Red Bob, and Dusty ran.

Third race, 13-16 mile—Judge Monck, 107 [Bell], 9 to 10, won; Ella Bryson, 18 to 5, second; Rash, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:20 4-5. Jack Denman, Billy Vandeboer, and Comet Tax ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Bob R., 106 [Koerner], 9 to 5, won; Ragman, 4 to 1, second; Sandhill, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 3-5. Aylmer and Leamence ran.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Oakhurst, 104 [Byrne], 12 to 1, won; Ben Double, 9 to 5, second; Sylvestris, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:18 1-5. The Moat, Casque, Royal Onyx, Gold Dust, Marie Hyde, Tolson d'Or, Joe Gaitens, Dr. Barkley, and Louise Wells ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Discontant, 107 [Bell], 10 to 1, won; The Whip, 3 to 2, second; Detect, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 3-5. Golden, Goldwick, Minta, and Ben Lomond ran.

JUAREZ RACE RESULTS.

First race, ½ mile—Thistle Rose [Molesworth], even, won; Frazzle, 3 to 1, second; Lady Dolora, 10 to 1, third. Time, :47 2-5.

Second race, 1 mile—Alma Boy [Rice], 8 to 2, won; Judith Page, 6 to 5, second; Solus, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:40 1-5.

Third race, ¾ mile—Vroeland [Molesworth], 4 to 1, won; Beau Man, 8 to 1, second; Maxim's Pride, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:12.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Polly Levy [McGee], 3 to 8, won; Dorante, 4 to 1, second; Bob Farley, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:36 1-5.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Beach Sand [Allen], 4 to 1, won; Mockler, 6 to 1, second; Butter Ball, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:39 1-5.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Fair Louise [Rice], 4 to 5, won; Sir Barry, 10 to 1, second; El Molino, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.

ROOD NEAR SEASON'S MARK.

Glenwood Bowler Gets Second Best Average of Year, Notching 242 2-3, with Scores of 236, 246, and 246.

Harry Rood of the Glenwoods, in the Glenwood league, came near breaking the season's individual average record last night, when he rolled games of 236, 246, and 246 for an average of 242 2-3 the best mark made in that league this season. Rood's mark is the second best this season, Adolph Tapp of Hank's Colts, in the Lake View league, having the record, with 249 2-3. His big series helped Luecker's team win two out of three from the Julians.

The Ripmores of Brand's Park league did the real team bowling by trimming the leading Maplewoods in three straight games, which puts them on about an even basis with the latter squad. The Ripmores averaged 985 flat, one of the best marks hung this season in that organization. Hanson led the squad, with an average of 218 2-3.

Other good performances were Kupfer's 216 1-3 average in the Southwest league, Kristufek's 215 average in the Douglas Park league, and McKinney's 204 game in the Glenwood league. Scores:

GLENWOOD.

Glenwoods.	1.	2.	3.	Julians.	1.	2.	3.
Rood	236	246	246	Schnadt	145	146	165
Welch	217	167	143	Weber	187	177	167
Luschn'n	198	160	154	Kramer	214	156	253
Rehmaier	187	183	221	Crilly	181	176	159
Luecker	149	212	157	Berlin	166	169	197
Totals	997	968	921	Totals	896	826	941

Wislands	897	868	736	Bull Progs.	969	963	797

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Rouhls	941	864	900	Brand Colts	832	866	968

ZIMMERMAN.

Sterlings	897	875	855	Pocahontas	856	806	981

BUSINESS MEN'S.

Lake Shore	818	770	818	Sherman's	797	748	877
Agnes	894	856	871	Martins	770	737	902

SHERIDAN.

Palmers	877	901	1027	Sullivans	868	881	967

INDOOR GOLF NOTES.

Members of the Beverly Country club competed in a 36 hole tournament at O'Neill & Peyton's indoor golf school last night. A. G. Fitch winning with a net card of 75. Other scores were: J. Dickey, 76; F. W. Winkler, 77; W. S. Negley, 79; F. M. Deering, 81; R. M. McDonald, 81; E. L. Cleveland Jr., 83; W. E. Page, 88; J. O'Connor, 91.

D. B. Maxwell had low score of 69 in the qualifying round for the Hayes cup at the Hayes indoor golf school last night. Other scores were: C. F. Mussey, 43; T. F. Darry, 49; W. H. Hauck, 50; W. F. Kelley, 57; H. W. Jasper, 57; C. H. Farley, 61; H. E. Merrick, 61; F. A. Hayes, 63; E. Clegg, 63; J. L. Moore, 65; E. H. Hannaway, 68; J. M. Kirk, 90; W. E. Proctor, 99.

Call Off Swimming Meet.

Owing to the illness of three Illinois freshmen swimmers, the task meet between the Illinois and Chicago yearlings scheduled for tonight at Champaign was declared off last night.

GREAT TEST FOR MOTOR TRUCKS

Contest Board of C. M. C. Decides to Hold Chicago to New York Run.

EVENT TO START JULY 19.

Promoters Receive Assurance of Support from Leading Manufacturers.

BY JOHN G. DE LONG.

By a unanimous vote members of the contest board of the Chicago Motor club at their weekly meeting held at the New Southern yesterday definitely decided to hold the proposed motor truck reliability run between New York and Chicago. The affair will take place on the dates originally set—July 19-29.

The decision to keep the long commercial contest on the club schedule was reached after the special committee named by Chairman Charles E. Gregory reported a growing sentiment in favor of the run. It was said that many of the big makers, who at the dinner given by the C. M. C. during the motor truck show week showed a disposition to discourage the local organization from holding the contest, now are inclined to support it.

Originally the idea was to start the run here and finish in New York, but yesterday it was decided best to alter the plan by having the start in Gotham and the finish in Chicago. The rules governing the contest will be made public as soon as the local organization receives them from the American Automobile association.

Another important action of the board was the selection of a route for the economy contest of May 26, which will be the first of five big competitive events to be run by the C. M. C. during the season. Milwaukee was chosen as the objective point and the run will be from Chicago to the Cream City and return, a total distance of about 200 miles. Charles F. Van Sicklen was appointed pathfinder and as soon as the roads are in condition he will lay out the route.

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When this parade is made of personal virtues there is an unfortunate disposition to give too much value to the two-fisted, square and fair ideas of honor frequently possessed by men who do swear, who do drink, who do gamble, who have others than the small vice of using tobacco, and who do not live in Y. M. C. A. buildings.

"Is it not cant," asks the New York Sun, "to dwell upon the virtues of Senator Lorimer when the issue is whether he was elected by the votes of corrupted members of the Illinois legislature? Moreover, is not testimony to the purity of his private life irrelevant when he has not been connected with the raising of a corruption fund or with the use of it?"

"The late John Y. McKane," says the New York World, "did not swear or use tobacco or liquor in any form, or gamble, or use or listen to coarse language. For years he was superintendent of a Sunday school. But that does not prove that Mr. McKane would have been a good man to seat as senator if elected by the votes of self-confessed bribe takers."

RACE AGAINST RACE.

A glimpse of the fierce conflict of races going on in the old world is given us by the protest of Slovaks in Chicago and Cleveland against honors shown to the Hungarian Count Apponyi. Here in America, where the races flow in quietly and mix peaceably with the main current of our American life, we have little conception of the astonishing fact that Europe and especially middle and eastern Europe is still grappling with race problems as poignant if not as sanguinary as in the days when Tamerlane swept down with fire and sword, or the barbarian Gaul slew Roman senators in the Forum.

The irony of the Apponyi episode is acute. This distinguished Hungarian has come to America to speak of peace, but the Slovak editors describe him in their manifesto in the following stinging phrases:

> Count Apponyi, as minister of education, was responsible for the fusillade of Cernova, where so many Slovak peasants died innocently. His report in the Hungarian parliament after the massacre, that there was peace in that village, rather entitles him to be the propagator of the peace of death than of the high idea of universal peace. It was while he was in office that these outrages were perpetrated.

To this Count Apponyi is quoted as replying from New York:

> I have fought these people for years and will continue to do so. With the true men of my country I have the highest sympathy, but these revolutionaries, who are trying to arouse racial prejudices and divide the country, I shall fight till I grind them under my heel.

If Count Apponyi was correctly quoted, he oozes very strangely for a Dove of Peace.

We think little of the tragedies of small race groups crushed slowly to death among their larger neighbors. The Finns and Poles, the Slovaks, Czechs, Ruthenes, Croats, and half a dozen others in Austria-Hungary, the Albanians and Bulgars, all are struggling against annihilation.

It is difficult for us in America to have any patience with the attempt of dominant races or masterful governments to stamp out the weaker groups. It is natural for us to sympathize with the oppressed and we see the various peoples living in reasonable amity, or at least in peace, here within our border. While it must be conceded that the conditions are different under the terrific pressures of European politics and economic competition, we cannot but believe that the warring peoples might work out a peaceful modus vivendi. Civilization in the highest sense recognizes no reason why the Magyar should crush out the Slav, deprive him of his language, strip him of his race traditions and customs; nor why the Germans or the Russians should wipe out the Pole or the Finn.

WHO IS PUTTING UP?

The inelegant but forceful question—Who is Putting Up?—is the most vital interrogation point before the voters of Chicago today.

Nine citizens are hunting three nominations for mayor; three Democrats, five Republicans, one Socialist. The latter candidate can be eliminated in the discussion of this question. We all know that sweat and blood furnish the campaign funds with which his party fights its battles. But what about the other eight?

Who Is Putting Up?

Some—apparently, yes, very apparently—have hogsheads, some have barrels, and some have kegs. Some have been successful as business men and may be willing to pay a measurable price for the honor of ruling us for four years. But no one but a congenital idiot would suspect any man of paying $500,000 or even $100,000 for such a privilege. Somebody, multiplied many times, is putting up. And why? To help a friend achieve ambition or because of the belief that he is making a good investment?

Other of the gentlemen who are hot on the trail of the nominations may be actuated by different motives. They may desire to serve rather than rule. They may believe they see an opportunity to help the city and the citizens. They may care less about the honor than the opportunity to administer a great office honestly, economically and in the interests of the many as against those of the few. They doubtless are being aided financially and those who assist them must have cogent reasons for so doing.

No contributor whose motives and expectations are honorable can object to letting the light of publicity shine on his benefaction and no recipient of honest money need hide the source from which it comes.

Don't you begin to see, Mr. Voter, that if you can discover the identity of the men who are "putting up" you will have taken a long step toward making up your mind for whom to vote?

This curiosity is no new thing. Publicity of campaign contributions has come to be recognized throughout the United States as one of the most important advances that can be made toward honest and responsible politics.

Congress has passed a law to put this principle into effect. Many of the states have such laws. Party organizations are including it in their platforms. Candidates responsive to the public conscience are recognizing it by giving personal pledges where laws have not yet been enacted. They promise to turn interest on public funds into the public coffers when the statutes do not make such action obligatory.

If publicity of campaign contributions is fair and in the public interest in national politics and in state politics, it is fair and in the public interest in local politics. No new principle is involved. Billboards and bands and banners, circulars, booklets, dodgers, placards, and pictures, orators and places in which to orate are just as much a part of a city campaign as of a national contest. And these cost the money.

The present primary is producing the most lavish expenditure of money the city ever has seen and it is fair to assume the subsequent campaign will be no less expensive.

The public is entitled to know the identity of the financiers of this race for office, for by their barrel fillers ye shall know the candidates or at least get a good line on them.

THE TRIBUNE calls on all candidates to make public the list of their financial sponsors and the amounts contributed, and to make it public before primary day and again before election day. The columns of THE TRIBUNE are at their service without money and without price.

Who will be the first to prove his integrity of purpose and backing by so doing?

Surely no candidate can be so obtuse, so blind, as to run the risk of being the last.

LINGUISTICALLY OMNIPOTENT.

When Owen Moran, the English lightweight champion, meeting the immortal T. R. on a New York Central dining car, shyly expressed his surprise that an ex-president would engage in conversation with a pugilist, our Theodore "straightened up and clenched his hands."

"Well," said he, "there's no king I can't talk to and no honest man that can't talk to me."

And in his own language, be he Peter I. of Servia, Chowfa Maha Vajiravudh of Siam, Habibullah of Afghanistan, Sidi Mohammed of Tunis, Menelik II. of Abyssinia, Seyid Mahomed Rahim of Khiva, or Ahmed Mirza of Persia, no king can escape if T. R. has determined to talk.

DON'T BE JOCOSE.

The man who is prominent in public life ought to be careful about making jocose or even semi-jocose remarks. It is dangerous, because there are so many matter of fact people in this world who cannot see a joke. They take it for granted that every man means what he says. They are the persons who fail to get the enjoyment they should out of the Line-o'-Type or Two column of THE TRIBUNE. Therefore the cautious statesman is sparing of his jests. He realizes, too, that what seems airy levity to him may grate on the nerves of somebody else.

Champ Clark is to be the speaker of the next house of representatives. What he says is given more attention than would have been the case two years ago. So, if he had thought twice he would not have let his exuberant fancy exaggerate the consequences of the ratification of the reciprocity agreement. He would not have reveled in the vision of the Star Spangled Banner floating free over every square foot of British North America.

He let his imagination run wild like a Missouri mule on the rampage. If he had laid himself in hand he would have felt that semi-jocular remarks about the reciprocity agreement having a tendency to bring Canada into the union would offend the sensibilities of many Canadians and furnish a weapon to the enemies of the agreement in Canada. Remarks about the absorption of one country by another grate harshly on the ears of the people of the smaller. One can understand and sympathize with their sensitiveness.

The average Canadian knows, however, that the political status of the dominion will not be affected by the reciprocity agreement. The feeling of Canadian nationality is too strong to be affected by better trade relations. Most Canadians will see in Mr. Champ Clark's remarks only another illustration of the American fondness for "tall talk" and mad jesting.

MR. TILLMAN'S TEARS.

Senator Tillman, who wept when the apt fingers of Mr. Bailey lightly strummed his emotions, makes announcement that he will vote for the retention of Mr. Lorimer. One tear fell on the confession of D. W. Holstlaw and wiped it out; another dropped on the "here's your Lorimer money" of H. J. C. Beckemeyer and expunged it; a third took the stain off the $1,000 given to the subsequently tortured and anguished Mike Link, and a fourth washed clean the vote of Charles A. White.

If Mr. Bailey had only sung "Illinois" at the finish of his address the whole senate would have been swimming out of the senate chamber.

CHIEF AMONG SINNERS.

It has long been a matter of common knowledge that locomotives emitted smoke outrageously, and were in some localities almost the sole offenders. The railroads have acknowledged meekly their own evil behavior, and have promised to reform, if it did not cost too much, but have always contended that their share in the smoke nuisance was so small that the hue and cry against them was unjustifiable. They have said that while they undoubtedly were guilty of a little smoke, the factories were guilty of more. They have urged the authorities to get after the apartment buildings, the steam laundries, and other misdemeanants, and let the locomotives alone.

The dispute as to who does the most smoke making is ended. We have facts. We know now the exact percentage of railroad criminality, and it is damning. There is no longer any doubt as to who heads the array of sinners. The locomotives use 18½ per cent of the soft coal consumed in the city and make 48 per cent of the total smoke and 50 per cent of the total dirt. Why so much dirt? Because 10 per cent of the coal used by locomotives is discharged from the stack in the form of cinders. Fourteen carloads are dumped on Chicago daily. Thus do railroads which say they need higher freight rates and more money waste their fuel.

The railroad men are shrieking that these percentages are unjust to the locomotives. That will not do. They are based on data laboriously collected by competent investigators. It appears also that even if the crews of engines using soft coal were to do their best to cut out smoke, those engines would be responsible for 29 per cent of the total smoke and one-third of the dirt.

There is but one way to get rid of this great smoke nuisance factor, and that is electrification. The adoption of a new motive power might necessitate or at least make expedient changes in the terminals of some Chicago roads. Hence it is manifestly desirable that the proposed commission for the study of Chicago terminals and the formulation of a railroad policy for the city should investigate the question of electrification in all its bearings. The commission should include electrical experts so that when it speaks it may be in a position to speak authoritatively.

LETTER writing Lorimerites in Illinois seem to be working the endless chain game on Uncle Shelby.

POSTMASTER GENERAL HITCHCOCK appears to have discovered that the magazine publishers are malefactors of great and increasing wealth.

SO FAR as can be gathered from ex-Mayor Dunne's speeches he is in favor of the Immediate Municipal Ostracism of our distinguished townsman Roger Sullivan.

WELL, there is room on this spacious planet for a Mexican insurrection and a war between Russia and China at the same time.

THOSE effervescent patriots in Illinois who are fighting Canadian reciprocity do not know, possibly, how greatly Canadian reciprocity will benefit this splendid commonwealth.

DESPITE the protests of the small boy with the fishing rod, the hook and line, and the red flannel bait, it is the duty of our lawmakers to conserve the national resources, even in the matter of frogs.

THE Hon. Champ Clark rushes to the assistance of the Canadian reciprocity movement with all the airy grace of a bull turned loose in a china shop.

ONE cannot help having an increasingly high opinion of the illustrious Abe Martin of Indiana on discovering that he takes off that hat of his when he sits down to eat.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Next?

The Doctor—I think he's the stingiest man in the entire community.

The Professor—Well, if not, he's a close second.

Exploring the Catacombs.

Thus the inquisitive boarder:

"What has become of the old fashioned woman who used to call a wedding reception an infare?"

Response by the white haired boarder:

"I think she married the old fashioned man who used to crack his knuckles regularly twice a day."

Philander Knox and Uncle Tim Hill.

"For East is East and West is West, and never the twain shall meet!"

You see you missed it, Rudyard, dear; you missed it several feet.

A Mixup.

"Paw, the teacher told us about Dick Whittington the other day. Do you know who he was?"

"I'm not sure, but I think he was the original Jack London."

G. W. S.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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SIR WALTER PHILLIMORE, a frequent visitor to the United States, in presiding over the so-called cowardice trial in London last week, gave an exhibition of ambidexterity by taking notes first of all with his right hand and then for a time with his left hand.

He did not go quite so far as one of his colleagues on the bench, who claims to be able to take notes about one subject with his right hand and about an entirely different matter with his left hand at one and the same time; a judge whose prowess in this direction recalls the feat performed on Saturday last by Justice Frederick Crane of the Supreme court of New York, in trying two cases at the same time.

At one end of the hall of justice was gathered the entire court of a divorce suit, while at the other end was assembled a court engaged in a suit for the recovery of money. Judge Crane left the bench and spent the entire morning in striding from one end of the room to the other, exclaiming, "I will allow that!" in passing upon a disputed point in the property suit and then a minute later exclaiming at the other end of the room, "You opened the door for the admission of that conversation in your direct examination," in determining a question of contested testimony in the divorce case.

It may be added that Judge Crane's feat was quite as successfully accomplished as Sir Walter Phillimore's display of ambidexterity in the cowardice trial in London.

King George, Queen Mary, and nearly every member of the royal house of England are ambidextrous, and it was owing to this that Sir James Crichton Browne, the famous physician and authority on mental and nervous diseases, who was almost as well known in America as in Great Britain, incurred the royal displeasure by declaring at a lecture before the Royal Institution in London in the summer of 1907 that ambidexterity was more common among idiots than among sane people, and that it indicated a low or degenerate order of intelligence.

This gift of ambidexterity, which Queen Victoria possessed herself, was imparted by means of training to all her children, at the instance of her husband, the prince consort. King Edward, who was able to use his left arm and hand with as much facility as his right, insisted upon his children and grandchildren being brought up to the same accomplishment.

Queen Christina of Spain is likewise a believer in ambidexterity, and trained her son, King Alfonso, thereto, while others who possess the art are the young queen of Spain, Queen Maud of Norway and her son, Crown Prince Olaf, the reigning grand duke of Hesse, the oldest son of the crown prince of Roumania, the reigning duke of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, the young prince of Wales, Prince Henry of Prussia, and the crown prince of Germany.

The most amazing exhibition of ambidexterity was that which, according to Queen Victoria's own testimony, recorded in her diaries, was given on one occasion at Balmoral by Sir Edwin Landseer, the celebrated painter and Royal academician. For while staying at her Highland home he drew in her presence and in that of her husband, the prince consort, one sketch with his right hand and a totally different one with his left hand at one and the same time.

No presidents of republics, so far as I know, have ever been ambidextrous, although Emile Loubet, who for seven years occupied the office of chief magistrate of France, was left handed, which is not quite the same as being ambidextrous.

Sir Walter Phillimore's selection to try this so-called cowardice case—which has turned on the conduct of a man of the name of Robert Edmondson, a sergeant major of the Imperial yeomanry during the Boer war. Edmondson suing L. C. Amery for damages for having published during the recent general election in a Wolvernampton newspaper a letter impugning his bravery in the South African war—was most inappropriate and impolitic.

Sir Walter pays more attention than any of his colleagues to the sumptuary adornments of his office, and some time ago attracted attention by his delivery of an address to a girls' school in London on the subject. According to him, the robes of English judges were originally priests' garments, the clergy in London then being the only men of sufficient learning to act as judges in cases too intricate and too difficult for the great barons to determine.

The scarlet gown, he declared, was nothing more nor less than a closed cape. The black girdle or sash which he wore and the stole were originally the priest's cincture and the deacon's stole.

The wig, he added, was a relic of the time of Charles II., when grave men, such as prelates and judges, wore plain powdered wigs in contradistinction to the flowing curls of the courtiers. And, lastly, the black cap, such as Sir Thomas More wore, and which the judges now only don to meet the lord mayor of London, and when pronouncing sentence of death, is distinctly of clerical origin, having been worn by the clergy prior to the reformation and also subsequently thereto.

Sir Walter Phillimore wound up his lecture to the girls by adding his favorite explanation that the judges' robes are not donned for the purpose of gratifying their vanity or merely for the sake of dressing up but in order to impress both the wearer and others with "the awe and majesty of the law."

There is no judge on the English bench whose sentences in criminal cases have been more often reversed on account of their excessive severity by the Court of Criminal Appeal, and prior to that by the secretary of state for the home department, acting in the name of the sovereign, than those of Sir Walter Phillimore, whose horror for everything in the nature of sin, especially when it is connected with either brutality or immorality, manifests itself in the most relentless harshness and intolerable cruelty.

To show the peculiar character of the man I may mention that when, owing to the illness of the president of the divorce court, he had to take his place in order to pronounce absolute a number of decrees nisi—that is to say, to complete the last step in the proceedings by means of which a marriage is dissolved—he considered it necessary to proclaim from his seat on the bench, in a petulant, supercilious, and irritating tone that "before taking this step I cannot refrain from saying, as a Christian man, how much I regret, on social, moral, and religious grounds, the facilities given by parliament for dissolving marriages.

"But what the legislature has in its wisdom or unwisdom decreed must be carried out by its officers, and as I have nothing to do with making or unmaking marriages, except as an officer of the state, for that purpose the decrees on the list must be made absolute."

There have been several judges on the bench—notably the late Lord Chief Justice Lord Russell of Killowen—who, as devout Roman Catholics, were strongly opposed to divorce. But not one of them ever permitted his personal religious scruples to lead him to such a judicial pronouncement.

Sir Walter Phillimore is the only member of the high court of justice who is a baronet, his father having received a baronetcy for his services as judge of the High Court of Admiralty and of the Court of Arches.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

AN Oak Park scientist announces a discovery that is to reduce the cost of living. Pardon a skeptical tea-bee. We will believe that the air has been conquered, that communication with Venus has been established, or that the weather bureau has learned to forecast next week's weather. But not that the cost of living is coming down.

THIS glorious discovery is an elixir of life; the alchemist, Dr. Herman Hills. He tells a "Strange Story." But so did Bulwer Lytton.

Who, Indeed!

Who is it, when your verse is lame,
Proceeds to pare and prune the same,
Then prints it—giving you the fame?—
I pause for information.

M. J.

CANNERY—Rush! "Whirlwind campaign" and "Pins his faith."

MORGAN PARK'S PECULIAR HILLS.
[From the Morgan Park Post.]

A little more cinder treatment on our slippery hill walks will hurt nobody, and it may prevent a serious fall, for our hills are slanting hills.

FOR several years, runs the news story, "George Gould has been called a weak ruler, and his allies slowly have drifted away." Something to that. We believe George Gould once admitted, in Missouri, that it would be just as cheap, and better all round, if the railroad lobby in the legislature were abolished. That was weakness.

CELEBRATED PINCH HITTERS.

Artie Hofman,	Mollie Pitcher,
Casey,	Bathroom Bob,
Old Bill Mather,	Pocahontas,
John Alden,	Blucher,
Phil Sheridan,	Jobailey.

A FIFTH avenue (Chicago) tailor advertises: "All wool boys' clothes." How about the yard wide boys?

THE INDIANA ARISTOCRACY.
[From the Lafayette Journal.]

Miss Lora Lemon is visiting a few day with Miss Opal Becker.

Miss Flossie Fickle spent Monday afternoon with Ruby Pitman.

Alfred Entire made a business trip to Danville Monday, returning Wednesday morning.

Leo Yockem and wife were shopping in Lafayette Saturday.

Miss Salome Cox has returned to her home at Garfield after spending the latter part of last week with her brother, Elijs, and family.

Delilah Liptrap is visiting relatives at Boswell.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weakman on Feb. 1, an eight pound girl.

WE should call our domestics by their last names, says Mrs. Raymond Robins. But suppose we can't pronounce them?

Dr. Dubbe's Program Study Class.

Dr. Criticus Flub-Dubbe talked of Goldmark, that composer's "Country Wedding" being on the program for this week. "During the political disturbances of 1848," related Dr. Dubbe, "Goldmark was led out of the town of Raab to be shot as a rebel. A friend explained that there was a slight mistake—that the composer was in insurrection only against assonances. So he was released. The incident appeared to have a sobering effect on him, for thereafter his love for discords waned.

"'Goldmark's works, while not profound, are brilliant, clever, epigrammatic. They will not outlast the hills. Brahms, walking one day with Goldmark, was complimenting him on a composition, and remarked, pointing to Goldmark's residence. 'Some day, Carl, there will be a sign on that house.' 'Ach, quit your kidding,' replied the other, though much pleased. 'Yes,' pursued Brahms, 'there will be a sign—"For Rent!"'"

Dr. Dubbe then dissected the "Country Wedding," pointing out the frequent use of the rare and discordant chord of the melodic minor supertonic thirteenth in second inversion—a column of superimposed thirds.

"One should recognize it instantly," said Miss Gay Votte.

Dr. Dubbe stepped to the piano and abruptly sat upon the keyboard.

"O, that sounds like Richard Strauss!" exclaimed Mrs. Evingston.

"Richard Strauss' favorite chord," replied the Doctor.

"I wonder whether Goldmark had a musical doctor's degree," said Mrs. Fuller-Prunes. "Joseph Hofmann says in the Ladies' Home Journal that he never knew a musician with a degree to amount to much."

"I cannot say as to Goldmark," replied Dr. Dubbe, "but two other composers on this week's program were musical doctors—Brahms and Dvorak—and they split as much wood as Herr Hofmann."

"Not to mention Dr. Dubbe," said Miss Gay Votte.

ON the register of the Hotel Menasha, Menasha, Wis.: "Mrs. Mince and husband, City." Query: Who does the carving in that family?

Signs of the Times.

In Blue Island: "For sail, Hors, Harnis and Bogi."

At North Halsted Bridge, Goose Island: "Soft egg on track."

In Edgewater: "Four room flat to rent to a small family made of brick."

On the bulletin board in a West of England church: "The pastor will be pleased to learn of any illness in the parish."

In Brooklyn: "We press pants promptly on the premises."

In room 1,008, Municipal Court: "Lawyers will please not sit on the table."

"ANGLIN makes a very happy change in Green Stockings," announces the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Was the curtain down?

COMPARISONS ARE ODOROUS.
[From the Boston Commercial Bulletin.]

The fur market continues steady and there has been no change in prices. Muskrat and raccoon are weaker and mink, skunk, and wolf are strong.

NO, Maude; we do not know why men let their coffee grow cold before drinking it, instead of drinking it hot, as women do. Possibly so they may have something to kick about.

The Write Brothers.

A tip to Howard—our own "Write Brother":
We both of us need the elusive penny;
So let's go to work at something or other,
And take for our motto—D-on't
W-rite
—
A-ny.

WHY gas clerks go to Logansport: "I want to warn you that I know you are charging me for 110 volts and I'm only using 55 volts."

IN THAT VICINITY.

Patrolman Jenkins ordered him to drop the knife, but he failed to obey, and, in consequence, was shot in the west end or thereabouts.—Mattoon Commercial.

APROPOS of cruel and unusual, we read: "The council took the witness apart to examine him." One hopes he was then taken to the assembling room.

A REGULAR BLOW-OUT.

Mr. and Mrs. Simp Horn and daughter, Irene, of Enson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Horn.—Owensboro (Ky.) Inquirer.

A DRUGGIST in Lawlestown, Ill., is entirely frank about it. He advertises: "Everything in Ice Cream Sodas or Sundaes at Loar's."

RADIUM will kill a cat, but so will care; and the supply of care is much larger than the supply of radium.

ANOTHER sign of spring—a sign in Belvidere: "Spring wagon for sale cheap if taken at once."

"CUBS will surely win again." Per Chance.

"PARIS Stirred by Harem Skirt." Pshaw! THEY shouldn't let the Harem scare 'em.

R. L. P.

"THE FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE."

"PARKING" WAGONS IN STREETS.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Isn't it the duty of policemen to report obstructions in streets? For the last two weeks a man doing an express and furniture moving business on North State street, north of Chicago avenue and south of Bellevue place, has "parked" two big moving vans and three or four coal and express wagons in the street in front of his place of business all night long. Has this man any right to, turn the public thoroughfare into a barn, discommoding people who use the street for its original purpose—that of a thoroughfare for vehicles and pedestrians? Isn't the policeman on the beat equally to blame in not reporting him?

A. B. S.

The policeman on the beat is certainly derelict in not reporting this violation of the law. The matter has been called to the attention of the inspector at East Chicago avenue, who takes this view of it, and promises that the street shall not be so obstructed.

FRUIT DEALERS VIOLATING LAW.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—It is a little bit early in the year, but the uncovered boxes of fruit and vegetables are beginning to appear on the sidewalks and fruit stands. Wasn't some ordinance passed stopping this exposure of fruit and vegetables to dirt and dust? Isn't it the duty of the health department to attend to matters of this kind?

J. M. C.

The ordinance requires that fruit and vegetables exposed out of doors shall be two feet above the walks and shall be covered with a close mesh wire screen or netting. The health department employs inspectors to enforce this law, one being assigned to the business district.

Whether this official is overworked or not, the fact remains that the law is unenforced in the loop district. For his information The Friend of the People submits the following list of places where fruit and vegetables are exposed two feet or less from the walk and not covered in any instance. The list was compiled in half an hour's walk between State, Lake, Franklin, and Madison streets. It does not pretend to be complete, but it may help.

State street, west side, between Madison and Washington street, sidewalk fruit stand.

State street, just north of Randolph; figs and berries.

State street, between Randolph and Lake streets; fruits.

Lake street, just west of State; apples and vegetables; some tomatoes in shippers' netting.

State street, north of Lake; large display of fruits.

Northeast corner of Lake and Clark; large display of fruit.

Southeast corner Lake and Fifth avenue; fruits.

Fifth avenue, between Lake and South Water, east side; fruits.

Southeast corner Franklin and Madison; fruits.

Madison, between Fifth avenue and La Salle; fruits.

This imperfect list will greatly aid the inspector this morning to enforce the law.

TAXICABS AND THEIR METERS.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Isn't there a law providing that all taxicabs for public hire must carry taximeters? If there is, this law is being violated.

TAXI.

There is no ordinance compelling taxicabs to carry taximeters. It is at the discretion of the owner, but if his cab has a meter he must charge according to its registration. Touring cars for hire are allowed to charge other rates of fare.

THE ENGLEWOOD INSURGENTS.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—What has become of the agitation for better service on the Englewood branch of the South Side L?

H. L. HARTLEY.

According to the leaders, the movement is making great headway. There are now 22,000 names, they say, signed to the petition which the aldermen will introduce at the meeting of the council next Monday night. President Weston apparently receded from his former position so far as to ask the committee leave to address a massmeeting in the interests of his company. But as his representative had already explained the corporation's position to the West Englewood Improvement association, and there was not time between now and the council night, the petitioners refused to call the meeting.

STANDING ROOM ONLY.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Friday last I took an Evanston train at Quincy street (first time in week). It was packed. At Kinzie street 100 people were standing in the car I was in. At Sheridan station twenty-two people got off one end of the car, making forty-four people for the car and 200 for the train. Not quite as many got on at Sheridan. These nearly all came from south of the river. Had the Evanston express run through to Argyle for its first stop, the 200 people getting off at Sheridan would have taken the less crowded Wilson expresses. The hundred or more people who got on at Sheridan would have taken the Evanston train on the loop. The few at Sheridan coming from north of the river would have taken the City Limits train immediately following the Evanston express. Why not run the Evanston express trains during the rush hours with first stop at Argyle?

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THE SUBWAY FUND.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[To the Friend of the People.]—How much will the city of Chicago receive next April as its proportion, 55 per cent of net receipts of the traction lines for the year just ended, Jan. 31, 1911.

How much will there then be available from this source for subway construction?

B. T. LOCKWOOD.

The city expects about $1,500,000 as its share. This, with what is now on hand for subway construction, will make a total of about $5,800,000.

CATHOLIC CENSUS OF NATION.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 16.—There are 14,618,761 Roman Catholics in the United States, according to Wiltzius' Official Catholic Directory for 1911, which is now in press.

The figure given does not include the Catholics in the Philippines, Porto Rico, or Hawaiian islands, for if these were added the number of Roman Catholics under the stars and stripes would be nearly 23,000,000.

According to the directory, there are in the United States 17,084 Catholic priests and 13,461 churches. Of this number 9,017 have resident pastors. Catholics also control 4,972 parochial schools, with an attendance of 1,270,131. In addition to this there are 225 colleges for boys and 696 academies for girls and eighty-two ecclesiastical seminaries.

According to the Wiltzius publication the states of the union having the largest number of Catholics are:

New York	2,758,171	Texas	295,917
Pennsylvania	1,527,329	Maryland	200,000
Illinois	1,446,400	Rhode Island	251,000
Massachusetts	1,350,021	Iowa	240,106
Ohio	1,094,371	Indiana	229,978
Louisiana	537,431	Kentucky	147,607
Wisconsin	540,906	New Mexico	127,000
Michigan	536,107	New Hampshire	126,084
New Jersey	495,000	Maine	125,547
Missouri	452,703	Nebraska	122,510
Minnesota	447,051	Kansas	120,106
California	391,500	Colorado	99,495
Connecticut	378,854		

Statistics for the archdiocese of Chicago follow:

Bishops	3	Parishes with schools	205
Secular clergy	463	Children attending	92,781
Religious	270	Orphan asylums	5
Total clergy	733	Orphans	1,852
Churches with priests	285	Homes for aged	5
Missions	17	Total children in Catholic institutions	107,048
Total churches	302	Catholic population	1,175,000
Seminaries	2		
Students	522		
Colleges for boys	12		
Academies for girls	22		

These figures are regarded as official as the information is furnished direct from the various Catholic Chancery offices.

PARENTS ARE TOO INDULGENT.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Lack of thrift and too much indulgence by latter day parents toward their growing children are contributory causes, according to Dean Shailer Mathews, of the University of Chicago divinity school, toward political evils of the day. Dean Mathews addressed the closing session of the Religious Educational association convention tonight.

"Children who can wheedle their parents into letting them act foolishly are being educated to bribe legislatures into letting them act lawlessly," he said. "The American parent has proved unfaithful to the state, to say nothing about his children, when he has given his sons and daughters a monthly allowance and has let them do what they pleased.

"Thrift is all but extinct in the average American family. We not only live up to our income, but we live beyond it. Thrift may be a 'bourgeois' virtue, but we have not yet established a Utopia in which it will be unnecessary for our children to pay their bills."

Regarding the teaching of eugenics, which President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university advocated as one of the solutions of the social problem today, Dean Mathews took an opposite view.

"We hear," he said, "a vast amount of advice to the effect that children are to be taught mysteries of sex. I profoundly believe that the maintenance of moral ideals in families will profit vastly more by the maintenance of chastity than a perpetual discussion of eugenics."

Besides Dean Mathews, the speakers at the final meeting were the Rev. James De Wolf Perry, bishop of Rhode Island; Miss Jane Addams of Hull house, Chicago; and Henry F. Cope, general secretary of the association.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

CLARA BARTON, the famous civil war nurse, founder of the American National Red Cross society, was the first woman employed in the interior department.

ERNEST W. HERRMANN, hospital steward on the naval tug, Patuxent, has been commended by Secretary of the Navy Meyer for saving the lives of two comrades who had been nearly asphyxiated by coal gas.

JOAQUIN MILLER, the poet, who is in a hospital at Oakland, Cal., suffering from a general breakdown, passed a comfortable night, but he may not recover.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

PROTEST AGAINST APPONYI.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I read in today's TRIBUNE Count Apponyi's reply to the opposition of the Slavic people of this country to his appearance here on Washington's birthday.

I beg to say in reply that though Count Apponyi is a Hungarian count and former minister, we remember well in the days of his power when he closed many non-Hungarian schools, stopped many meetings, confiscated many books and papers, arrested many non-Hungarian leaders, etc., and showed barbaric power against non-Hungarian people.

At the time he was trying to grind Slavic people he licked the heels of Francis Joseph, Austrian emperor and Hungarian king. We are not surprised that the count tried to bluff the people of this country with his peace ideas, because we know the cynicism of Count Apponyi.

If we cannot stop him from speaking in Chicago we will appeal to the citizens of this city and friends of liberty and show our attitude in the matter. On Sunday next we will hold a meeting for the purpose of adopting resolutions against the count.

THEODORE ZIVKOVICH,
216 South Canal street.

A REBUKE TO MR. DUNNE.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I was glad to see the letter from "Fair Play" in Wednesday's TRIBUNE. Dunne must have a poor cause, since his chief argument is denunciation of "Busseism." Busse has done what Dunne promised to do, and more. He shows greatness in his willingness to defer to the judgment of others, as in the case of the health office, where he left the selection to a committee of physicians with the result that we have in Dr. Evans the best health officer the city has ever known.

He chose most wisely in appointing Steward chief of police, and if Dunne has ordinary good sense he will not remind us of the transportation furnished us in his time. In spite of grumbling, we have cars, roadbeds, and equipment generally of which any city might be proud. If this be "Busseism," let us have more of it, says

ONE WHO REMEMBERS.

MR. CRILLY'S SUBWAY PLAN.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Engineer Arnold's subway plan is open to criticism because of the enormous expense; second, the expense of operating the elevators; third, few foundations in the district are deep enough so they will not be affected by the undermining. The subway could be built in the business district without having a lower level and could be constructed so as not to cross the tracks and without damage to a majority of the buildings.

My idea would be to excavate the entire street from curb to curb and arch over with steel beams and concrete arches, making these concrete arches the surface of the streets. The lower level of the subway should not be any more than enough to allow one of our modern surface cars to pass through.

The entire space between curbs could be used for four tracks. The sewers could be placed in the center under the tracks, with a lifting station at the river at Monroe street. Water pipes and pipes and wires of other public utilities could be placed under the side walks or run along the curb walls, as there would be ample space.

To avoid crossing tracks bring the people from the west, northwest, and southwest sides through the Washington street tunnel to Clark street, south to Van Buren street tunnel or south to Van Buren street over to the tunnel, with a number of stations on Clark street, which would be only four blocks to Michigan avenue, the farthest any one would have to walk.

For the south and north sides use Dearbor

FACTIONS FORCE AFFIDAVIT QUERY

Objections to 500 Registrations Will Be Filed by the Graham Organization.

PLAN BIG INVESTIGATION.

Witnesses Say Robert Hulsman Received Acknowledgments in Absence of Signers.

Objections to at least 500 affidavits of registration sent into the election commissioners' office from the First ward by the Harrison-Coughlin-Kenna organization will be filed today or tomorrow, according to Daniel Sullivan of the Graham organization committee.

"We have retained the law firm of Fyffe & Adcock to prosecute an investigation into the illegal registration frauds in the First ward," he said last night. "Our only reason for not filing objections to more of the First ward registration affidavits is the lack of objection blanks which are supposed to be furnished by the election commissioners' office."

Czarnecki Gets Evidence.

Election Commissioner Anthony Czarnecki announced his visit of inquiry to the First ward levee district on Wednesday night had been rewarded with evidence that some alleged voters had been registered from disorderly houses. These names will be investigated, he said.

Thomas E. Flannery, the election fraud bureau investigator, sent to jail on a contempt charge by County Judge Owens because he was alleged to have testified falsely in a fraud case, obtained his liberty in the afternoon on a writ of habeas corpus issued by Superior Judge John A. McDonald.

Damaging testimony was heard in the trial of Robert Hulsman, a notary public on duty at Graham headquarters, cited by County Judge Owens on a contempt charge. Two witnesses testified affidavits signed by them had been acknowledged by Hulsman while they were not present.

The case was continued to next Tuesday to allow service on witnesses. Hulsman's bond was raised from $3,000 to $5,000.

Charges Fraud in Petitions.

In response to an invitation by Judge Owens that anyone knowing of frauds should file complaints, Attorney Roes Hall presented to the court affidavits indicating that fraud had been used in the signing of nominating petitions for William J. Rooney and James M. McGloon, Democratic aldermanic candidates in the Thirty-fourth ward. According to the affidavits the names of the two men had been pasted over the name of Joseph Kostner after petitions had been signed by voters for Kostner for the aldermanic nomination. McGloon later withdrew.

By a vote of 2 to 1 the board ordered that the Democrats shall hold the first column position on the official ballot at the April election. This place has been held by the Republicans since 1885. The Republicans are to be given the second column. The Socialists also are moved up, being given third place instead of fourth, which will be for the Prohibitionists.

SIX QUIT ALDERMANIC RACES.

Two Democrats and Two Republicans Among Those to Retire at the Last Moment.

Six candidates at the primaries filed withdrawals in the election of commissioners' office yesterday, being the final day for that purpose. They were George R. Bard, Republican, for alderman in the Eighth ward; Sven O. Lejonstein, Prohibitionist, for alderman in the Fifteenth ward; H. E. Armstrong, Republican, for trustee in Cicero; Peter L. Hoffman, Democrat, for alderman in the Seventh ward; Anthony J. Fahey, Democrat, for alderman in the Thirty-fourth ward; and Axel Gustafson, Socialist, for alderman in the Eleventh ward.

10 SIDED DEBATE IS PLANNED.

"Whom Do You Want for Mayor and Why?" Subject for Discussion at Marquette Club.

A ten sided debate is promised tonight at the Marquette club, Maple street and Dearborn avenue, when the club members and their friends will discuss the question, "Whom Do You Want for Mayor, and Why?" Although the club is Republican in its support, the officers announced last evening that representatives of every candidate, Republican, Democratic, Socialist, and Prohibitionist, are invited to be present and give their views and reasons.

DEATH OF J. H. LOOMIS RESULTS IN TWO CITY SCHOOL TRANSFERS

Report of Mrs. Young, Superintendent, Also Recommends Purchase of Eleven New Sites and Additions.

The recent death of John H. Loomis, principal of the McLaren school, has made necessary two transfers. The report of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent, to the city school management committee yesterday announced the transfer of Carolyn G. Adams from the principalship of the Goodrich school to the principalship of the McLaren school. Charles J. Lunak, principal of the Goldsmith school, was made principal of the Goodrich school.

The report also recommends the purchase of eleven sites and of six additions to sites for new additions and playgrounds.

The locations of the sites and additions, the purchase of which was recommended by the committee, are as follows: Site at Longwood, west of Rock Island tracks, in the vicinity of One Hundred and Third street; site near the branch of the Goudy school; site in the vicinity of North Fifty-first avenue and Augusta street; site between Coonley and Audubon schools; site at Foster avenue and North Clark street; site at Grace street and North Sixtieth avenue; site at Wrightwood and North Forty-third avenues, for relief of Nixon school; site at Monticello and Lawndale avenues; site at North Fifty-eighth and Leland avenues; site at Sunnyside and Christiana avenues; site near Greeley school.

FINDS TWO CHILDREN STARVING

Probation Officer Goes to Arrest 18 Year Old Mother of One and Sister of Other.

Two children, Herman and Otto Pager, 2 and 14 years old respectively, were found starving in a house at 2004 Thomas street yesterday by Probation Officer John Melum of the Juvenile home when he went to their home to arrest Ottelie Pager, 18 years old, sister of Otto and mother of Herman. The father is dead and Mrs. Pager is in the hospital.

ANDREW J. GRAHAM was indorsed for mayor by the women of the Kilo association after he had made a speech to them at the association rooms, 4 Monroe street, yesterday afternoon. At the conclusion of the banker candidate's address Mrs. George E. Colby, president of the organization, said:

"We need a good mayor and Andrew J. Graham is the right man. Kilo association heartily indorses Mr. Graham for mayor."

Mr. Graham in his talk to the women complimented them for the good work the organization was doing, and said in part:

"In this great busy, hustling, bustling, workaday life we are too thoughtless of the welfare and comfort of the girls and young women who strive in the busy marts of our city earning their livelihood. What we need in this great cosmopolitan city of ours is more clubs like this one. I should like to see them established in all sections of the city. Locate them in the great manufacturing sections where girls are employed in countless numbers.

"Let me say that the work you are doing should receive the highest commendation. Keep it up. Reach out into other fields. There is no limit to what you can accomplish, and if you only induce your fathers, husbands, brothers, and sweethearts to give me a chance officially to help you, I will do all in my power to aid you in bettering the social conditions of the industrial centers of our city."

Figures on the canvass which the Graham forces have made in the Fourteenth ward, the home of Mr. Graham and Roger Sullivan, were given out at Graham headquarters. According to the Graham poll in thirty-two of the thirty-seven precincts in the ward Mr. Graham will get 2,412 of the Democratic votes; Mr. Harrison, 461, and Dunne, 248. In Mr. Graham's home precinct the canvass figures are 120 for Mr. Graham, 7 for Harrison, and a single Democrat is placed in the Dunne column. In Mr. Sullivan's precinct Mr. Graham is given 96 Democratic votes, Mr. Harrison 11, and Mr. Dunne 5.

Tonight Mr. Graham is scheduled to make two speeches. One will be given at a Twenty-ninth ward meeting in Teutonia hall, Fifty-third street and South Ashland avenue, and the other in the Twelfth ward in Novotny hall, Twenty-second and Troy streets.

CARTER H. HARRISON talked gas and slush fund to three big audiences last night and in each of the three talks declared that his election to the mayor's chair meant the cheapest and most efficient administration possible to the taxpayers. He defended his acts of former administrations which have been the targets for attack by the followers of Dunne and Graham.

One of Mr. Harrison's talks was made on the west side at Schoenhofen's hall, Division street and Milwaukee avenue, and another at Phoenix hall, Division and Sedgwick streets. The third meeting was at Kafka's hall, 3824 West Twenty-sixth street.

President Peter Bartzen of the county board and James M. Slattery, his superintendent of public service, were two additions to the Harrison organization committee. Mr. Bartzen said he had been for Mr. Harrison from the beginning of the campaign, but had refrained from making a public announcement until after the budget was passed.

John H. Sullivan, president of the North Shore Improvement and Carter H. Harrison league, announced heavy additions in the membership of the league. The purposes of the organization, which have the indorsement of Mr. Harrison, include the obtaining of new "L" road stations at Thorndale and Berwyn avenues.

Mr. Harrison is billed for five talks tonight. Two meetings will be held in the Twenty-ninth ward; one at Lincoln Turner hall, Diversey boulevard and Sheffield avenue, and the other at Sheridan hall, Clark street and Lunt avenue. In the Twenty-third ward he will talk at Aldine hall, 911 Center street; in the Tenth ward, at Blue Island avenue and Twelfth street, and a Twentieth ward meeting will be held at Taylor and Paulina streets.

EDWARD F. DUNNE is after Roger Sullivan, backer of Andrew J. Graham, and at two meetings last evening scored Mr. Sullivan for remarks the head of the regular Democratic organization had made concerning a meeting between Mr. Dunne and Mayor Busse during the last mayoralty campaign. Mr. Dunne spoke at Ninety-second street and South Chicago avenue, and in Forum hall, Forty-third street and Calumet avenue.

"I did meet Mr. Busse," Mr. Dunne said, "but it was in the office of a friend who had asked me to call on him to discuss some aspects of the primary battle that was then framing up. When I reached his office I found Busse there. We had an informal chat which meant no more than similar chats which I have had recently with Prof. Merriam, whom I met in the University club, and John F. Smulski, who happened to pass a table in the Palmer house café where I was dining.

"Then, too, Mr. Sullivan says that former Ald. Bradley, who is managing my campaign, voted for the 50 cent gas ordinance over my veto. The council records show Mr. Bradley was one of ten aldermen who voted to sustain my veto. So in that bit of history Roger did not tell the truth.

"He does tell with a flourish, however, that he contributed to both of my campaigns; he did give the central committee $1,000, as he says, and later he informed one of my friends that a contribution of $1,000, which was made to my first campaign by Attorney Clarence Darrow, was really contributed by himself. He was anxious to have this known. When he gave the first $1,000 to Chairman O'Connell he explained that he did so because he desired to be regular, and Mr. O'Connell was left to infer that that was the price of his regularity.

"Barney Baer, a former police captain, has stated publicly that Sullivan took to the Busse headquarters money that was subscribed by Democrats to the Democratic campaign. I do not pretend to understand the workings of a mind so complex as Roger's.

This morning at 10:30 o'clock Mr. Dunne will address workers at the stockyards, and this evening he will talk at Hollister hall, Devon avenue and Clark street, and in Social Turner hall, Belmont avenue and North Paulina street.

Boys Tried on Murder Charge.

Two boys, each 18 years old, were placed on trial yesterday before Judge Kavanagh in the Criminal court on the charge of killing John Ostaszewski on Nov. 20, 1910, at North Spaulding and Evergreen avenues. Earl W. Morris, alias Jerry McDonald, and Raymond Cannon are the defendants. Morris is said to have fired the shot.

ASK $5,000 TO AID MERRIAM

Workers at Polls Urged to Offer Services.

ALDERMAN ASKS A CHANGE.

Says Progressives Must Control Republican Party.

Five thousand volunteers to work for Ald. Charles E. Merriam at the polls primary day are wanted by the Republican mayoralty candidate's campaign committee. An appeal was sent out yesterday from his headquarters in the Grand Pacific hotel, with the coupled statement that nearly 5,000 already had been listed, but that it was desired to double the number. In anticipation of having this army of 10,000 available, a contract for that number of Merriam badges was made with the same firm that is putting out 2,000 "Merriam for Mayor" banners.

Five mass meetings, at which he addressed close to 6,000 supporters, kept Candidate Merriam busy. His first noonday speech was to workingmen in the Northwestern railroad's shops on the West Side.

Says Progressives Must Control.

After briefly addressing physicians, who formed a Merriam club at his headquarters, the candidate started out at night for the northwest side, where with Ald. Beilfuss, candidate for city treasurer, former State's Attorney Nicholas Michels, and others he spoke in the Twenty-eighth ward at Merrick's hall and in the Twenty-seventh ward at Spaulding hall. Thence he went to the Twenty-third ward, where there was a big gathering in Hahn's hall, with Paul Steinbrecher presiding, and ended up in the Seventh ward at Lake avenue hall.

He made this statement:

"This is a fair fight between the rank and file of the Republican party and a set of political grand dukes who have misrepresented the party in the past and will do so in the future. The battle must be fought in the Republican party and in the Democratic party, and it must be fought within these parties not only this year, but every year. It is the same fight that has been carried on in neighboring states and cities, and must be waged all over this country before genuinely representative government can be reëstablished. It is idle to hope for genuine progress at the hands of reactionaries and spoilsmen."

Busy Program for Today.

Mr. Merriam is billed for five meetings today: At noon, to the employés of the Crane company on West Twelfth street; at night, McKinley Park hall, Fifth ward, Thirty-fifth street and Archer avenue; Seventh Ward Young Men's Progressive Republican club at the Vendome hotel; in the Thirty-second ward at Peterson's hall, Sixty-ninth street and Ashland avenue; in the Second ward at the Palace theater, 41 West Thirty-first street. Ald. Beilfuss will appear at most of these meetings.

ASK REMOVAL OF CAR TRACKS.

Oak Park Citizens Want West Chicago Avenue Converted Into a Boulevard.

Citizens of Oak Park presented a petition to the board of trustees of the suburb last night demanding that the car tracks of the County Traction company be removed from West Chicago avenue in furtherance of a plan for making the thoroughfare a boulevard and reclaiming it as a residence district.

A. S. Livermore opposed the plan for the reason, he said, that tenants of a flat building in Augusta street which he owned would be deprived of car service.

Another citizen fought the idea because he held it to be an injustice to Mrs. C. T. Yerkes, widow of the late traction magnate, to deprive her of the fares received on the Chicago avenue line.

Low Fare with Stop-over Privilege.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad is the only line that sells tickets to New York City for eighteen dollars with stop-over at Pittsburgh, Washington, Baltimore, and Philadelphia. Two electrically lighted through trains daily. Ticket office, 244 Clark street.—Adv.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 10.]

SIGNET—John Signet, 2011 Walnut st. Burial at 10 a. m. today, from residence.

SMULSKI CLAIMS 14 CLUBS

Announces His Lineup of Republican Organization.

SEES M'EWEN AS HIS ALLY.

Plans Effort to Round Up Whole Northwest Side.

John F. Smulski, having to make no speeches, devoted himself at his Hotel Sherman headquarters yesterday to lining up Republican ward organizations in contest with John R. Thompson, Mayoralty Candidate Charles E. Merriam having declared that he did not wish such indorsements for the party primaries.

The one thing that most delighted the candidate and his campaign manager, former County Clerk Joseph Haas, was the accession of the McEwen forces in the Twenty-seventh ward, whereupon efforts were made to "round up" the northwest side by bringing in the Thirty-fifth ward organization through Congressman Lundin, who was with Thomas M. Hunter until the bailiff of the Municipal court refused to file a petition.

Twenty-seventh Ward Battleground.

Thirty-four out of the Twenty-seventh ward's sixty-four precinct committeemen, it was announced, had met and formed a Smulski club, whose president is George Hitchman and treasurer is Albert F. Keeney, member of the board of local improvements. A report that the remaining thirty committeemen are for Merriam was denied, it being asserted that several of those living in the north end of the ward would "sign up" for Smulski. Although Mr. McEwen, who is the county committeeman and for years has been a Lorimer ally, did not visit headquarters, the pledges of his henchmen were accepted as "by authority."

A claim also was put in for the Second ward organization, although Committeeman Chauncey Dewey, who has been listed as friendly to Merriam, is in Europe. State Senator Samuel A. Ettelson has come out for Smulski in the Third ward, where he will oppose Ald. Foreman at the head of the Thompson forces.

Claim Fourteen Ward Clubs.

For the first time the Smulski men were able to list their claims as to organization support, which does not necessarily mean that they expect to carry the bailiwicks against Merriam.

Use TIZ- Smaller Feet

Sore Feet, Tender Feet and Swollen Feet Cured Every Time. TIZ Makes Sore Feet Well No Matter What Ails Them.

Every one who is troubled with sore, sweaty, or tender feet—swollen feet—smelly feet, corns, callouses or bunions can quickly make their feet well now. Here is instant relief and a lasting permanent remedy—it's called TIZ. TIZ makes sore feet well and swollen feet are quickly reduced to their natural size. Thousands of ladies have been able to wear shoes a full size smaller with perfect comfort.

It's the only foot remedy ever made which acts on the principle of drawing out all the poisonous exudations which cause sore feet. Powders and other remedies merely clog up the pores. TIZ cleanses them out and keeps them clean. It works right off. You will feel better the very first time it's used. Use it a week and you can forget you ever had sore feet. There is nothing on earth that can compare with it. TIZ is for sale and recommended by all druggists, 25 cents per box, or, if out of city, will be mailed direct from Walter Luther Dodge & Co., Chicago, Ill.

THOMPSON'S PLEA IS "CLEAN CITY"

Opens Campaign with Noonday Meeting and Promises Reform in Methods.

GALPIN HIS ORGANIZER.

Candidates Murray and Scully Busy in Efforts to Round Up Voters.

John R. Thompson's first noonday meeting filled the Chicago Opera house, except for the gallery, yesterday. His speech, though brief, was the formal opening of his stumping tour. Nathan W. MacChesney, who presided, and F. A. Brown of the Union League club's political action committee also were heard. The candidate is not billed for today, but beginning tomorrow will try to cover the entire city before the primaries by speaking in five wards each night.

"If you elect me mayor," said Mr. Thompson, "I will use my best efforts to give you a clean Chicago, civically and physically, to use my best efforts towards the electrification of our railroads and the elimination of the smoke nuisance.

Pleads for Cleanliness.

"We will have well paved streets, clean streets, alleys unblocked by refuse. Our garbage will not send up from every alley and corner injurious fumes, but will be removed daily to a crematory, where it will be destroyed."

Homer K. Galpin, clerk of the Municipal court, was announced as chief organizer for Thompson and will open headquarters in the Great Northern hotel today. The Republican club of his ward, the Twentieth, from which Mr. Galpin is county committeeman, indorsed Thompson at night. It also was stated that the regular Republican clubs in three Lorimer wards—Fourth, Fifth, and Thirty-fourth—had come out for Thompson.

Other Candidates Are Busy.

Candidate John E. Scully continued his personal canvass, meeting workingmen at factories and car barns, making no speeches. At noon today he will address the Press club.

Tom Murray said that if defeated at the primaries he would run independently for mayor. After combing the city for billboards and finding that they had been "cornered" by the Graham Democrats, he located two on which to placard: "For Mayor—Tom. Meet Me Face to Face in the City Hall." On a large picture of Mayor Busse in his Morrison hotel headquarters, he placed this: "It was here when I came and will not be turned toward the wall." Tom says he's "going to advertise, not talk."

HOW much fun does your wife get out of housekeeping?

It's a good deal of a grind—even with plenty of help. And to provide two or three appetizing meals a day for the "men folks" is one of the hardest questions in the whole problem.

We wonder if you realize how much of this difficulty is smoothed over by

Campbell's Soups

They are so wholesome and satisfying. They are so easy to prepare. And there are so many "kinds" to choose from—something to suit every appetite and every meal. They are one of the best real helps that a woman can have in the house.

If your wife doesn't know about them you ought to tell her. And you ought to tell her *today*.

21 kinds **10c a can**

Asparagus, Beef, Bouillon, Celery, Chicken, Chicken-Gumbo (Okra), Clam Bouillon, Clam Chowder, Consommé, Julienne, Mock Turtle, Mulligatawny, Mutton Broth, Ox Tail, Pea, Pepper Pot, Printanier, Tomato, Tomato-Okra, Vegetable, Vermicelli-Tomato

I love my Campbell's Soup so well
'Tis finished all too soon.
Would I might save that luscious smell;
And eat it with a spoon!

Just add hot water, bring to a boil and serve.

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The Investigator—Aren't 34 inch tires about the average and 36 inch the maximum size on most cars?

The Demonstrator—Yes.

The Investigator—Why should I prefer a car with larger wheels and tires?

The Demonstrator—For three reasons:—
Efficiency, Economy and Comfort. The larger wheel is more *effective* because each spoke is like a lever pushing against the road. Too short a lever robs the engine of some of its power. Too long a lever would be awkward.
The size of wheel and tire has been worked out scientifically, like the size of the driving wheel on a fast locomotive.

The Investigator—Those tires would cost me more to replace than smaller ones, wouldn't they?

The Demonstrator—Tires of large diameter are so much more *durable* that the slight difference in first cost does not count. If you should buy either the "Autocrat" or the "Limited," you would find that

there is really no "tire problem" for the owner of an Oldsmobile.

With the 38 and 42 inch tires, the owners of our cars almost *invariably* get *more* than the *guaranteed mileage* of the tire maker, which averages, say, 3500 miles. The more careful drivers double this. Owners of the "Limited" have trebled it, to our certain knowledge.

The Investigator—That sounds almost too good to be true.

The Demonstrator—It is a conservative statement. There's no mystery about it. Just imagine a tall man and a boy walking together. If the boy keeps up with the man, he takes more steps.
Now, a small tire turns over more times in a mile than a large one,—exposing its "shoe" to road wear much oftener. Thus, it will wear out quicker, as sure as a child wears out more shoes than a man.
Again, the large tire contains more rubber and more air with which to sustain the sudden shocks of the road, so that the danger of blow outs is minimized.

The Investigator—What kind of rims are those?

The Demonstrator—We equip both the "Autocrat" and the "Limited" with the best *Demountable Rims*, without extra charge. We also furnish a fifth or spare rim and tire irons, gratis, so that you can carry a fully inflated tire, ready to put on in a moment.
So much for convenience and economy; as to comfort—

The Investigator—The car does ride easier than any car I have seen, but I didn't know that wheels and tires were so important till you explained the matter.

The Demonstrator—Well, I do not want you to select an Oldmobile on the strength of any *one feature*, but for its all round excellence. I'll put it this way:—
The Oldsmobile is not a good car merely because it has wheels and tires of the correct size:—
It *has* an adequate tire equipment because it is a *good car*,—in this and every other feature that counts.

Demonstration No. 4 in Tuesday's Paper

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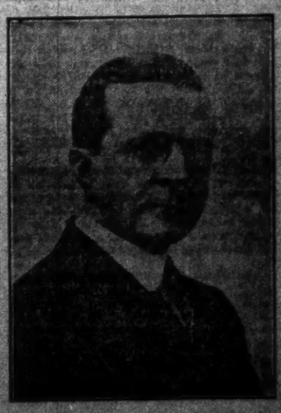

John R. Thompson Business Men's Committee.

HENRY FRIEND, Secretary — HOMER A. STILWELL, President

Society, Clubs, and Entertainments.

Spring Many Surprises at Country Club Dance.

SIX women members of the South Shore Country club ran on to the ballroom floor at the club's midwinter cotillon last night dragging an enormous red heart, mounted on invisible wheels. The spotlight played upon them until they reached the center of the floor, when suddenly the heart opened and from its center burst a young toe dancer, who had been hurried by taxicab from one of the theaters to provide the chief surprise of the evening.

The dances she gave followed a series of cotillon sets which from first to last were surprises. For instance, there was the bathing scene figure, where twelve of the women dancers, in surf costume, went through the motion of swimming in the ocean waves as the five colored flood lights and spotlights played upon them and the orchestra played "Mr. Gibson—Mr. Gibson."

The illusion of the "waves" in which the women were swimming, seemingly, was formed by the aid of two curtains and the moving picture machine. The entire west end of the ballroom was separated from the rest of the room by an immense curtain measuring forty by sixty feet. On this was thrown the film of the sky and ocean horizon. Ten feet farther out on the floor a second curtain arranged as a frame was lowered and upon this was thrown the film of the waves. It was then that the women appeared suddenly, arms and heads only bobbing above the imaginary waves, the bodies submerged in the electric illusion.

There also was a thunder storm in which the lightning played, the electric thunder roared, and the electric rain poured. Red and white umbrellas were used for favors and protection against the rain as the band played "Call Me Up Some Rainy Afternoon." There was a shower of colored hearts and then a shower of roses, a butterfly figure with butterfly favors, and other figures in which the special lighting was used.

One of the amusing figures of the evening was that in which twelve men of the club played full sized band instruments made of papier maché which produced basso music. Another—the Chantecler figure—was a march of the fowls and animals. A rooster, a donkey, a cow, a lion, and a monkey of enormous size led the march and were followed by forty-eight of the men of the company wearing masque faces of the various fowls and animals.

The cotillon, which was in charge of Augustus D. Curtis, was lead by Alvar Bournique. The dance began at 10 o'clock, following a group of dinners given by the club members. About 1,500 guests were present.

Mrs. Jesse Holdom gave a luncheon to eighteen guests at the Woman's Athletic club yesterday complimentary to her niece, Miss Smith of New York. Mrs. Charles S. Winslow was another luncheon hostess at the club, her guests numbering a dozen. Both tables were decorated in spring flowers. On Wednesday Mrs. L. L. Thomas gave a luncheon to nine at the club, and tomorrow Mrs. Charles A. Roland will give a luncheon there.

An interesting visitor in the city is Miss Josephine Plows Bay, founder of the Mercedes rescue work in London. Miss Bay is visiting her sister, Mrs. George S. Jackson, 3842 Calumet avenue, for a few days, during which time she will speak at Hull house. She has come to America at this time to study the settlement idea for children.

Miss Loretta Fromhold will entertain twenty guests at bridge at the residence of her sister, Mrs. John Closey Patterson, 914 Glengyle place, Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Goebel, 4932 Vincennes avenue, was hostess at bridge and luncheon yesterday. Among the guests were Mrs. C. R. Terry, Mrs. Thomas Meehan, Mrs. W. H. McCarthy, Mrs. P. Dunne, and Mrs. C. E. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Orva G. Williams and son, Orva IL., 5502 Cornell avenue, have gone to Walnut Grove ranch, near San Antonio, Tex., for several weeks' stay.

Mrs. B. H. Barnett and daughter Elsie of Long Beach, Cal., who have been staying with their cousin, Mrs. James L. Bird of Sheridan Park, wi... depart Monday, stopping off at New Orleans a couple of days to attend the Mardi Gras. Mrs. Bird and son Robert will join them at Long Beach about March 1.

Mrs. Frank Townley Brown, 4065 Sheridan road, has gone to Thomasville, Ga., for a visit.

John Pirie Roche, 742 Lincoln Park boulevard, returned yesterday from Columbia university, where he has just taken his degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Sugar and Miss Sadie Sugar, 3838 Grand boulevard, have gone to California.

Miss Barbara Heggie, 1016 Wilson avenue, and Miss Viola Jordan, 5447 Lakewood avenue, will leave today to attend the University of Wisconsin prom.

Mrs. Francis Lyon, 4632 Calumet avenue, will leave tomorrow for an extended trip through the east.

Mrs. Amos J. Thomas, 2019 Washington boulevard, left on Wednesday for Hot Springs, Ark., where she will spend several weeks.

Mrs. George F. Knisely has gone east to visit her parents and relatives, expecting to be gone two months.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Winter announce the marriage of their daughter, Irene Marie, to William R. Bromley, which took place on Wednesday. They will be at home after March 15 at 2405 Jackson boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harris, 5447 Prairie avenue, who recently announced the engagement of their daughter Aimee to Gustav H. Gottschalk, will receive informally Sunday, Feb. 19, afternoon and evening.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose Frank, sister of Mrs. Leon Frank, 227 East Fiftieth street, to Emil Schmidt. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt left last night for an extended trip of the south. They will be at home after March 20 at their residence, 755 Independence boulevard.

Miss Agnes Miller

Miss Agnes Miller is one of the attractive young women who are active in the midwinter festival being held this week by the members of St. Ambrose Roman Catholic church, Forty-seventh street and Ellis avenue. The festivities are being held in the new assembly hall of St. Ambrose school. Originally it was arranged for a holiday event, but was postponed because the building was not finished in time for the opening. Many novel and unique features are a part of the entertainment. Mrs. D. F. Bremner, Mrs. James Guthrie, Mrs. Richmond Dean, Mrs. A. G. Green, Mrs. Harry Bosworth, Miss Catherine Hickey, Miss Marie Maloney, Miss Nan Duffy, and Miss Flo Bern are active in the affair also. The proceeds of the festival, which are expected to reach $10,000, will be given to the parish building fund.

Enlist College Women in Aid of Labor Bill.

COLLEGE women of the city have joined in a "campaign for the health of women workers," the thousands of women in occupations unaffected by the ten hour law. At a meeting held at the College club yesterday and attended by the president and one member of the various college organizations in the city, the ball of organization of the college women was started rolling. At future meetings plans for raising of sufficient funds to enable representatives of the working organizations to carry on their campaign will be effected.

Back of the luncheon was the interest of Mrs. B. E. Page, a Smith college graduate, who as member of the legislative committee of the Chicago Woman's club, has come in close touch with the various organizations of working women. The Women's Trade Union leagues of the state are inaugurating a campaign in which the legislators will be asked to urge the passing of an amendment to the present ten hour law for women employed in laundries, factories, and mechanical establishments.

The new measure asked is to include the provision that "no women shall be employed in any manufacturing, mechanical, or mercantile establishment, laundry, hotel, or restaurant, telegraph or telephone establishment, or office, express, or transportation company, or as a park attendant in this state for more than ten hours during the twenty-four hours nor more than fifty-four hours in any one week."

The idea strikes at the Christmas rush, when the young women of the department stores are forced to work many hours overtime. Mrs. Page, realizing that the college women represented and influenced the larger group of the Christmas shoppers, carried the idea home to them in asking their coöperation for the protection of the overworked women.

Mrs. I. S. Blackwelder presided at the meeting and Prof. Coman of the University of Chicago, Mrs. Raymond Robins, Miss Helen Todd, and Mrs. Frances Squire Potter were the speakers. The entire group of the women dwelt upon the necessity of the protection of the woman of today as a preservation of the race of tomorrow. Prof. Coman added the working girl, with her mind tired from overwork, still made better use of her mentality than the girls of the privileged homes, because it was a well known fact that many of the girls of the working class gave their few leisure moments to the reading of Materlinck, Ibsen, and other writers bending opinion of the day.

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Chicagoan Weds New Jersey Girl.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The marriage of Miss Marjorie Adelaide Brown to Edwin Stanton Mills of Chicago took place tonight at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Archer Brown of East Orange, N. J., the Rev. Fred Clare Baldwin, pastor of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, East Orange, performing the ceremony. Miss Constance Brown, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. James R. Mills of New Orleans, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and the ushers included Eldridge Wilson of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mills will sail on Saturday for a Mediterranean trip, and upon their return will live in Evanston, Ill.

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Launches "Reason Hall" Movement.

A movement for the erection of a "Hall of Reason," as the headquarters of the Independent Religious society, was launched by Isaac Miller Hamilton, toastmaster at the eleventh annual meeting and banquet of the organization at the Congress hotel last evening.

No plans for the financing of the plan were disclosed, but the toastmaster's declaration that the members of the society should unite in collecting a fund sufficient to build a "home for freedom and reason" was received with such enthusiastic applause that he said the question would be pushed.

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Celebrate Fraternity's Start.

Both young and old members of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity will meet Saturday night at the Sherman house to celebrate the fifty-ninth anniversary of the founding of the fraternity.

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Meetings and Entertainments.

ANIWAN club will meet tomorrow evening for an informal dancing party at Mark White assembly hall, Thirtieth and Halsted streets.

BIRCHWOOD COUNTRY club will have a children's dancing party this evening from 7 to 10 o'clock. Mrs. Charles H. Davidson will have charge of the affair.

GREENE COUNTY club will hold the second annual banquet and reunion tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock at Mrs. Clark's luncheroom, 116 Wabash avenue. There will be a symposium of Greene county folk led by D. J. McMahon. Mrs. Mida L. Jones has written a song entitled "Dear Old Greene," which will be given.

NATIONAL CONGRESS OF MOTHERS will celebrate the fourteenth birthday anniversary today. The child welfare organization, as it was formerly known, was organized in Washington, D. C., Feb. 17, 1897, with Mrs. Theodore W. Birney and Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst in charge.

PHIL SHERIDAN council, Knights of Columbus, will give a dancing party this evening at the Oak Park club.

SOCIAL DRUG club's seventh annual reception and ball will be held this evening in the three ballrooms of the new Hotel Sherman. R. D. Keim will be master of ceremonies.

President Wheeler to Speak.

President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California will be the speaker at the meeting before the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall next Sunday. His subject will be "What Is an American?" President Wheeler spoke before the club during its first season, and was greeted by one of the largest audiences of that year. The musical program Sunday night will include an organ recital by Katharine Howard-Ward and anthems by the chorus of fifty, under direction of Marion Green. The soloists for the evening are Mabel Sharp Herdien, Rose Lutiger Gannon, John E. Miller, and Marion Green.

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Honor Head of the Borrowed Time Club.

Thirty-four members of the Borrowed Time club of Oak Park, an organization of the oldest men of the suburb, yesterday afternoon participated in a ceremony of an old fashioned character in connection with the celebration of the eightieth birthday of their president, L. D. Coggswell. At the Coggswell residence a formal reception was held, at the close of which a handsomely engraved gold watch was presented to the president by his venerable comrades.

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Col. Lambert Buys $100,000 Home.

Pasadena, Cal., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Col. John Lambert of Joliet, Ill., former partner of John W. Gates, has purchased George W. Stimson's $100,000 residence at Orange Grove and Waverly drive. He has lived here two years and announced that he would become a permanent resident.

Miss Jennie Cartwright

The seventeenth annual reception and ball of the Chicago Postoffice Clerks' association is to be held tomorrow evening, Feb. 18, at the Hotel La Salle. The twin ball room on the nineteenth floor, as well as the eighteenth floor, has been engaged. Postmaster Campbell and other prominent postoffice officials, out of town clerks, and friends of the local postoffice clerks, have been invited.

Miss Jennie Cartwright of the money order division is taking a prominent part.

Charles M. Becker of station U is chairman, and Arnold Lampert of the city division is floor chief.

Other members on the reception committee are Harry Hanson, Thomas F. Schully, Frank Sweeney, Fred Sullivan, Louis Phillip Jr., and Charles Slack.

Among the Clubs.

Patriotic day was observed yesterday by the members of the Klio association, 12 East Monroe street. Mrs. George Sinclair represented "Topsy," the spirit of the civil war days; Mrs. F. H. Greene, Italy; Miss Mildred Westfall, France; Mrs. Charles D. Boardman, New England, as the colonial dame; Mrs. Daniel Munro, Ireland; Mrs. Ernest Heg, the days of '61, as an army nurse; Mrs. C. O. Sethness, Norway, and Mrs. Andrew J. Graham, America, as the Goddess of Liberty. Mrs. W. H. Fahrney arranged the program. Mrs. Frank C. Farnum gave a group of nations songs.

Ossili afternoon was observed at the Highland Park club. Mrs. J. T. Moore of Fort Sheridan spoke on "The Army" and told of the wondrous effect the discipline had upon character. Mrs. Earl Moore, whose son recently was graduated from Annapolis, agreed with Mrs. Moore that there is no greater character builder than army or navy life, and said civilians are apt to underrate the ability of men in this life. Mrs. Bowen Schumacher spoke on "The Peace Movement," and advocated decreasing war expenses.

Dr. Caroline Hedger spoke before the members of the Chicago Woman's club on "Hygiene."

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Jay Gould's Engagement Announced.

New York, Feb. 16.—Formal announcement was made tonight of the engagement of Jay Gould to Miss Annie Douglas Graham at a dinner given by the latter's stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Vos. Jay Gould is the second son of George Gould. Miss Graham was a bridemaid at the Decies-Gould wedding recently, and Lord Decies and his bride, back from their honeymoon, attended tonight's dinner.

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French Author Will Lecture.

Prof. Gustave Michaut of the University of Paris has been selected by the Alliance Française of Paris and the French government to deliver lectures to the various branches of the society in the United States.

Woman and Her Interests.

A Slip of the Affections.

BY LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

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"Never forget me, O, my love,
Although I must thy heart resign!
Never forget me, whilst above
The stars we gazed on still do shine!
Never forget me, tho' thy heart
Another claims in place of me!
Never forget me, tho' apart
My ev'ry thought still rests with thee."

IF not securely moored the heart's bark is very likely to drift away with the first ruffling of the waves of life's ocean. Some heart boats drift the full length of their tether without causing alarm, while others, supposedly sea worthy, capsize without warning with the first sportive breeze.

A slip of the affections is considered a serious catastrophe by the general run of lovers, but usually no great harm results from the slight loosening of the love knot.

A young girl introduces her dearest friend to her lover, and if he is overzealous in his courtesy toward her his fiancée is sure there is a decided slip in his affections toward herself, sure he admires her friends overmuch, and in consequence her pillow tells of many sleepless nights and hours of grieving.

Wives are more fearful of the slipping of a husband's affections than all the other worries put together which they have. This is the rock in the harbor of their peace and contentment. These are the well meaning souls who take extra precaution to eliminate all temptations from hubby's path which might lead him into forbidden admirations.

She selects the cook and waitress with much care. The one is fair, fat and forty, the other, while young in years, has a peppery tongue and a vinegary disposition to add to the extreme homeliness of her features. Even the seamstress is obliged to slip on spectacles and wear a frown on the approach of the master of the house.

Her visitors are all elderly married women with strict notions of a husband's obligations and a wife's rights—women who denounce with horror the shortcomings of their friend's husband, but carefully cover up the little slips of affection and follies of their own spouses.

These husbands whom wives fancy need watching are usually good natured, hail fellows well met—who love their dearies at home, but who do not see why on earth wifey looks daggers at him if he mentions the peach of a girl who has just married old moneybags around the corner, adding that she will have a lonely life of it; that it is a case of wasting her sweetness on the desert air; that she should have wedded a young man who could have appreciated her winsomeness.

He soon discovers that a man should think twice ere he praises another woman in his wife's presence. Crafty is he who resorts to subterfuge if his wife asks his opinion of a fairer, younger woman than herself by declaring that the other woman is not half as stunning as his wifey nor half as attractive—at least in his eyes.

The man who forgets to flatter his wife now and then deserves all the suspicion that he is admiring some other woman that usually falls to his lot.

A beautiful garden has to be constantly guarded to keep it free from weeds; wedded life must be guarded and tended equally as well to keep the poison ivy of mistrust from creeping into it and twining itself about the two hearts therein—all in good time choking out the sweet white roses of love and devotion.

The man who has made a slip should regain his footing with all possible speed if he would not find the remainder of his path jagged with thorns and hard to travel.

I do not insist that husbands and wives are all earthly angels; in fact, I find so much to disprove this theory that I am inclined to think if they strike a happy medium they are doing well.

In view of this I advise wives who expect too much of a mere man—"to his faults be a little kind and to his follies be a little blind."

If hubby meets a charming little widow on the car each morning who is employed in a downtown office and is indiscreet enough to seem to have saved a seat for her and enjoys a few moments chat do not jump at the conclusion that there is a slip in his affections and that he is on the eve of eloping. On the other hand deftly tighten the flower chain that binds him to home and you, draw it into a knot that will not slip, and your heart boat need not fear the storms that seemingly have threatened its safety.

Men are only human; they cannot help admiring a sweet, flower faced maiden and a neat, trim, pretty woman—but admiration is a long step removed from love. The wife who has wedded a man of honor who loves her need never worry over the possibility of a slip of his affections.

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A School Principal's Troubles.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I am 26 years old and at present am principal of a school in a small town. Have been away from home the last seven years, attending college most of the time, with the exception of last year. You can imagine how tired I am of such life. I have had about twelve different boarding places within this time. I have been thinking of going out to Montana on a claim next summer, but I sometimes think I would be more discontented and lonely out there. Now, do you think it would be advisable to get married? I have no idol that reaches my ideal as perfectly as a singer I met at the lakes last summer while spending my vacation or a young lady that has been working for my folks. Which of the two do you advise me to choose, or do you think it better for me to remain single? HOPE."

I think you had better remain single until you know your own mind on the matter.

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A Thrashing Needed.

"Dear Miss Libbey: Kindly give me your advice on the following: I am married, have been for the last six years, and have children. A few months ago I by accident and without a flirtation on my part, met a young lady 31 years of age, very pretty, and have seen her a number of times on the street going to and from work. At Christmas time I met her downtown and have since met her a number of times. Each time we have met we seem to increase our love for one another. I have talked with her and explained to her the utter impossibility of my being able to marry her, but the facts are that we both love one another to such an extent that we cannot see anything wrong in meeting one another on the street and talking over our affairs. The more I see of her the more I would like her to be my wife. Place yourself in my position and let me know just what you would do in a case of this kind when a young fellow has found that his life mate was the wrong one for him. JIM."

What you need is a good thrashing. How dare you think seriously of another woman when you have your wife and children to look after? Men of your type are responsible for a great deal of the misery in this work. Don't be a coward and a sneak. Be a man!

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Here's the Minister.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I want you to help me decide a very delicate problem. Being a minister of good standing and unmarried, do you think I am justified in calling upon a married lady of my parish when she is at home alone. She invites me to visit her and is, indeed, a very entertaining lady. I get a great deal of pleasure out of the visits, and she seems highly delighted every time I go and does not seem satisfied unless I make frequent calls. Would you advise me to continue spending a large part of my visiting energy with her or divide it with others less interesting? As I understand, you are an expert in matters of this nature, I should be pleased to meet you at your request, but trust you will answer the above in THE TRIBUNE at an early date, but do not give my name or that of my home town. "P. P."

No, better not be calling so frequently on the lady unless you want to spell disaster for yourself.

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"Start the Ball Rolling."

"Dear Miss Libbey: Could you kindly suggest how I could start a correspondence with a young man in a different city, whom I know very well, without being too forward? My parents think a whole lot of this young man, whose folks, who live in Chicago, are my parents' best friends. His folks as well as he think well of me, as I am a well behaved young girl. I know this young man does not correspond and has nothing to do with any girl, and I know that if I would start 'the ball rolling' that I could easily win him, which I would very much like, as he is a perfect man in every respect and one that can give a girl a very good home. FANNIE."

You might write him a note asking him to attend a small party to be given at your home. This would lead naturally to further correspondence.

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Heavy on "Don't You Know."

Dear Miss Libbey: Am a young bachelor of 40, but feel much younger, and am fairly good looking. Among the ladies I am very backward. I have never been in love. Most girls talk about their clothes and are heavy on the "don't you know" proposition. Have I a glass heart? What is the matter? Or am I too particular? I could keep a wife well. I much enjoy some of your answers. It's good advice. I could have married long ago, but some way or other the girls that I am sure I could have had did not appeal to me. Is it all my fault? J.

You haven't met the right girl yet. Wait a bit longer.

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Ring Query.

"Dear Miss Libbey: For nearly a year past I have been engaged to a young lady with whom I have been acquainted for nearly two years. I cared a great deal for her and she seemed to feel the same way toward me. We did not see each other often, as she lives in a neighboring city. When I saw her during last December I gave her an engagement ring and she assured me she loved me and always would, yet within two weeks from that time she was married to another person, without a single word of explanation or apology to me. Neither has she returned my ring, although I have requested her, by mail, to do so. What is your opinion of a girl who acts as she has? "D."

She has acted most dishonorably. Why not drop a line to her, telling her that unless she returns it you will be obliged to write her husband concerning the matter.

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Economical Housekeeping.

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Farewell Surprise Party.

A. A. B. writes: "Will you kindly suggest to me through THE TRIBUNE a good and not expensive plan for a farewell surprise party for a girl of 16."

Nowadays it is quite the fashion to make the most of a girl's name in doing things for her. If it is a suggestive one it is easy to plan refreshments that shall carry it.

Since this column is mainly devoted to recipes, A. A. B. undoubtedly wants a plan for a simple little feast. Perhaps she prefers to put most of the money she has to spend into a parting gift, and yet wants to get up a pretty little meal.

Suppose she choose for the gift some coral souvenir or some of the beautiful imitations of the coral in beads, pins, pendants, etc. It would be quite easy to get up an inexpensive meal with coral touches in many of the dishes. The salad of head lettuce or of the less expensive shredded cabbage, with a cooked dressing, might get its coral from some shreds of pimento. The tomato bisque soup, if well thickened with cracker crumbs, is always delicious and in this case would have the touch of color.

The main dish for the little supper, or a sort of near dinner, might be of chicken. If rightly managed the chicken flavor may be much extended. A hostess who recently wished to give a tap supper, after a musical to which eighty people were invited, engaged a well known cateress to prepare and serve this for her. She was especially amazed at the smallness of the bill for supplies. The cateress ordered but three chickens, whereas her own cook would have ordered at least twenty for that number of people. The secret in the professional's work was the way she extended the flavor and excited the curiosity as well.

One of the pleasantest ways to make a chicken go a long way is to fricassee it, shred the meat, and thicken the gravy slightly. This may then be combined with pastry in various ways, but nothing is daintier or so digestible as the potato muffin scooped out and filled with the chicken. For this purpose the potato should be mashed and made as delicious as possible by the addition of a half cup of cream and an egg, besides a little butter. It may then be baked slightly in muffin molds, after which it is ready for the chicken.

For the vegetable spaghetti with a tomato sauce, served in individual molds of some sort, would have the color touch. Some simple homemade bread and a preserve might be served as an adjunct to these. For the dessert it would be easy to make a simple cake with the coral frosting made of the colored sugars procurable or with a white frosting with the girl's name on it in the coral color.

For candy it is easy to get the cinnamon cream patties, which are coral color. For the flowers—girls always like carnations. A white carnation tied with a tiny bow of coral ribbon having a bead at each end, accompanied by a little pin with coral colored top, might be placed at each plate. The ribbon and pin would make the loved souvenir for each guest.

For a little relish at the beginning of this meal a lemon sandwich is something a girl and others besides, like to put their teeth into. The lemon should be cut thin with a sharp knife and put between two thin buttered slices of bread with a little sugar on both sides of it. Stick a clove in each corner of the sandwich.

There are a great number of souvenirs which one can buy for such occasions. The little candy box suitcase, filled, is one of these. But if one has more time than money it is much nicer to make one's own little keepsakes.

It would be easy to plan a party in which the idea of a pocketbook was carried out in everything, pocketbook rolls, etc. Girls always like to be thought of as queens and a party in which the queen idea is carried out in some way is pretty. Bread and honey for the queen in her parlor should be one part of the refreshments. Golden crowns made of oranges, for a fruit salad or dessert, could be another.

News of the Theaters.

A Play Plot That Has Always Been Funny.

"DON'T LIE TO YOUR WIFE."
A Three Act Farce by
CAMPBELL B. CASAD.
Presented by Dave Lewis and Company in Chicago at the Whitney Opera House, Feb. 14, 1911, with the Principal Rôles Acted as Follows:

George Benedict	Samuel Rosa
Arthur Pringle	Edward J. Pell
Leslie M. Craft	Alfred C. Wino
James Dillon	Neil MacLeod
Frank Clancy	Earl McDonald
Moreland Strange	Raymond McSherry
David Coates	Victor Royal
Mrs. Doppelmo	Jane Babcock
Mrs. Benedict	Gladys Montague
Mabel	Esta Raynor
La Belle Amaze	Bell Connelly
Goldie Vera de Vere	Mae Connelly
Toddie Twinkletoes	Mabel Girling
Fanny Bloom	Marie Welter
Amos Doppelmo	Dave Lewis

BY RICHARD HENRY LITTLE.

"DON'T LIE TO YOUR WIFE," at the Whitney, ought to be funny for this reason; The plot deals with a husband who entertains chorus girls at his home while his wife is away. Now, isn't that funny? It always has been. When the first play built on this idea was staged it was received with shrieks of merriment. The critic for the Babylonian Daily Messenger in speaking of the performance said: "The maneuvers of the husband to account for the presence of the ladies of the chorus to his wife caused the audience to howl with joy."

Several hundred years later, when this same idea was worked over and produced in Rome, the Rome Daily Bulletin said that the plot, which dealt with a man telling fibs to his wife, was something entirely original and that even Marcus Tullus, the most dignified senator in Rome, had torn his togs and howled with delight.

In the time of good Queen Elizabeth a play founded on this subject also was received hilariously, the periodicals of that day recording that "thys lee yndeed ye fynny play for in it ye husband, a most sly dogge, did telle ye bigge lye to hys most lovynge wyfe. Whereatte alle dyd laff an her gracyouse majestie, ye queene, ye moste of anie one."

Washington is said to have taken great delight at a performance of "Don't Lie to Your Wife," produced under some other name by a traveling troupe who played at Valley Forge while the patriot army was wintering there. It is said that this was the only laugh heard from George during that long, terrible winter.

"Don't Lie to Your Wife," which for the first time in something like fifteen hundred years is called by its original name, is now playing at the Whitney Opera house with Dave Lewis as the star. The plot is just as funny as ever. The dear old play that Belshazzar and Alexander and Homer and Aristophanes and Julius Cæsar and Chaucer and William the Conqueror and Queen Elizabeth and George the Wash used to roar at hilariously still is funny.

It cannot be said that the audience indulged in any shrieks of mad mirth or that their laughter could be heard as far as Twelfth street, but just the same the people who were there laughed. This ought to be satisfactory to the audience, for in a modest apology published in the program it is said the play was constructed for laughing purposes only and for that feeling of satisfaction which is the result of providing an enjoyable evening's entertainment to the public.

The audience did not give way to any paroxysm of joy, but smiled and often laughed outright in a nice, pleased sort of way. The man on the aisle seat, however, fairly yelled with mirth at times and pounded his knees with both hands at some of the lines. Either he had an interest in the show or had at some time or other told a lie to his wife.

The play deals with a giddy elderly citizen and his son-in-law and prospective son-in-law, who entertained three chorus girls at dinner while their wives and the future bride were at Atlantic City. The gay young members of the "merry, merry" promised to come back and dine again with their admirers on the following evening. And then, well, what do you think?

Darned if those three women didn't come marching right straight home from Atlantic City and there they were right in the house at the moment when the chorus girls were coming.

The giddy elderly citizen made all sorts of frantic excuses to get the lady members of the household out of the road, but they wouldn't go. And, believe it or not, but those chorus girls came and rushed right into the room and threw their arms around the elderly citizen and the other two men. Of course, the two wives and the fiancée were shocked and it looked for a minute that they would find out that these three chorus girls had been cutting up with the husbands.

But the elderly citizen explained that the girls were his nieces from Australia and the two wives and the fiancée said that if that was the case, why, of course, it was all right. The chorus girls chewed gum and talked slang and smoked cigarets, but the elderly citizen explained that such things were quite customary in Australia, and the lady members of his household said, of course, that was probably true, and so they welcomed the chorus girls to their home and fixed up the guests' rooms for them and said they must make a nice long visit. At the end of the third act everything was explained and everybody forgiven, even the author.

Mr. Dave Lewis was the elderly citizen who was such a regular old rascal when his wife was away. It's the best thing Mr. Lewis has done for many years. It is not hard to recall the time when one felt strongly persuaded to arise and throw the seat check, or a cane, or the water boy at Dave Lewis when he came on the stage. But it's hard to know that it's the same Dave Lewis and his past must be blamed on poor play and a lack of opportunity. For in "Don't Lie to Your Wife" Mr. Lewis gives a neat and finished performance and is delightful in every way.

The cast is not a great aggregation of splendid talent and Mr. Lewis picks the play up at the beginning of the first act and carries it heroically on his shoulders right through to the last curtain. Whenever he is out of sight things go to pieces, but when he comes back the audience sit up and take interest again.

It is sincerely to be hoped Mr. Lewis will soon have a play that will give him greater opportunity than he has in the present production, although this one through his zealous performance comes near to fulfilling the ardent wish of the author to provide the public with a pleasant evening's entertainment.

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Small Talk of the Stage.

Miss Marie Cahill's engagement in "Judy Forgot" will begin within a week or two at the Garrick theater. March 13 is the date set for the coming of Mr. Sothern and Miss Marlowe to the Lyric in their repertory of Shakspearean plays, beginning with "Macbeth," which will be given throughout the first week of the three weeks' stay.

Following Mr. Bellew's engagement at Powers' theater Mr. Belasco will present "The Lily" at that theater, with Miss Nance O'Neill in the leading rôle. Mr. Gillette will be succeeded at the Illinois by Miss Rose Stahl in her new play by Charles Klein, "Maggie Pepper," and there is promised a new musical comedy entitled "Little Miss Fix-It" for one of the other houses, with Miss Nora Bayes and Mr. Jack Norworth as the stars.

Elmendorf Is Leader on Art Gallery Trip.

THROUGH the art galleries of Europe, stopping for a glance of a few minutes at some wonderful picture, jumping from Amsterdam to Paris, from Paris to Madrid, Madrid to Berlin, and ending in the Dresden galleries, Dwight L. Elmendorf led a large audience that had gathered in Orchestra hall Wednesday night to listen to his lecture on "Famous Paintings in the Galleries of Europe."

The reproductions in color, upon which the lecturer said he had spent in some cases as much as seven years on a single picture, added realism to the art journey.

"I want you to feel as if you were actually walking through the galleries," said Mr. Elmendorf. "I want every picture that you see to leave a vivid impression upon you. I haven't tried to improve on the pictures that I have reproduced. Where the paintings have faded, where the canvas has cracked, I will give them to you, exactly as you would see them in the galleries."

The journey started with pictures of Amsterdam. Examples from the works of Maes, De Bray, Jan Steen, Frans Hals, and Rembrandt were shown on the screen. Among others were some tavern sketches by Franz Halz, where the painter had spent a few minutes depicting a tavern character to pay for another drink.

Mr. Elmendorf showed a reproduction of the painting called "The Great Night Watch" by Rembrandt, which recently was slit from top to bottom by an unknown vandal. The picture, according to the lecturer, is miscalled, through a mistake of Sir Joshua Reynolds, who thought it a night scene on account of the darkening of the colors.

From the Louvre gallery examples of Luini, Raphael, Murillo, Botticelli, Joshua Reynolds, Ingres, Greuze, Mme. Le Brun, Daubigny, Millet, and Corot were shown.

Seville, Spain, the home of Murillo, was a stop, and the lecturer showed the reproductions of the wonderful Madonnas of the Spanish painter, who scarcely ventured out of his native village during his entire life.

Then the galleries of Madrid were visited, and following those the Kaiser Frederich museum of Berlin. Here Mr. Elmendorf took occasion to tell what he thought of Rubens.

"He is entirely too gross to suit my taste," he said. "I have seen I don't know how many babies, but I never yet saw one that looked like one of Rubens'."

The last picture thrown upon the screen was the Sistine Madonna, which the lecturer declared to be the greatest painting in the world.

Pluck to Win "Tribune" Prizes.

BY MARY ISABEL BRUSH.

WHAT would you rather have than $1,200? Eighteen hundred, perhaps, or $2,400. And what would you rather have than nothing at all? It would seem that $800, $400, $500, $800, or $900 ought to be acceptable.

If this is the case, one of these sums can be yours if you take the trouble to fulfill the by no means difficult requirements for earning it that have been made by THE TRIBUNE in connection with the contest it is conducting, in which $21,000 will be given away in prizes.

All that you have to do to win one of the above mentioned sums is to work a little each day until March 31, when the reward will be yours. Twenty-one thousand dollars is the sum which will be distributed, and it will go to 350 people in the form of checks immediately transmutable into hard cash. In the case of the twenty-nine highest prizes it will not come in a lump sum, to be sure, but will be handed to you every month, as your allowance or your salary is, and, in the words of one of the contestants, is "easier than getting money from home."

The rewards are made on the basis of the votes received by contestants and every subscription brought in for THE TRIBUNE for one year counts the bringer 1,000 of these votes. Maybe those who have thought the demands of the competition unreasonable—if there are any such—have not estimated that if just one subscription a day is turned in the contestant at the end of the contest would have over 100,000 votes.

A little work now, perhaps, but well worth while, since it puts you in the way of having exactly what you wish for a time, if not for the remainder of your life.

IGNORES WILSON PHONE REPORTS

Council Committee Decides Second One Was of No Value in Investigation.

HAGENAH DATA IS BASIS.

Declares That the Second Young & Co. "Findings" Will Not Be Paid For.

The entire investigation of telephone rates made by accountants and engineers retained by City Controller Walter H. Wilson was thrown in the waste basket yesterday by the city council committee on gas, oil, and electric light.

By unanimous motion the committee placed on file the joint report of Arthur Young & Co. and D. C. and W. B. Jackson, made last May, and the supplementary report by the Young company submitted last Friday, and the committee agreed that no money should be paid for the second report, which was ordered by the controller without committee action and given out for publication without the authority last Sunday by City Clerk F. D. Cossery.

The results of the controller's investigation were discarded because exceptions were taken to the original findings, and the second, or supporting, document failed to bring them any closer toward harmony with the findings of the committee's own investigation, which has been under way since last June.

See No Aid in New Data.

"This is merely a supplementary report," explained W. J. Hagenah, chief of the committee's investigating corps, "and covers ground omitted from the original investigation."

"Did this committee ask for such a report?" asked Ald. Charles Twigg.

"Not to my knowledge," replied Chairman Pringle.

"What became of the report made last June?" asked Ald. J. B. Bowler.

"It still is pending before the committee," said Mr. Pringle, "but the committee asked that another inquiry be made and that led to the Hagenah investigation. None of us had any knowledge that this supplemental Young report was pending."

"Does it bring the findings of these experts any nearer to the findings of Mr. Hagenah?" asked Ald. L. D. Sitts.

"No, it doesn't," replied that expert with a smile.

"Well," demanded Ald. A. J. Cermak, "does this committee expect to take this report into consideration?"

Reports Put on File.

"Your subcommittee," said the chairman, "disagreed with these Young accountants. They found a deficit, while the subcommittee found a surplus, and subsequently the Young report was rejected in all its substantial findings. I don't know what may have been the purpose of this report. I can't think of any useful purpose it can serve for the city or the subscribers."

Ald. Cermak moved to place both reports on file, and it was carried without opposition.

Controller Wilson said later in the day that he did not expect a bill for the report and also made public a letter sent to Chairman Pringle last May recommending the supplementary investigation by the same experts. This was rejected by the committee, which went ahead with its own investigators. Mr. Wilson did not say who would pay Young & Co. for these labors, which seem to be gratuitous to the city as well as repudiated by its aldermanic representatives.

BUYING FOR COLD STORAGE GIVES RALLY IN BEST EGGS.

Upturn Amounts to ½ Cent—Packing Butter Is Lower, but Fancy Creameries Hold Well—Chickens Higher.

Buying of eggs to place in cold storage houses in order to relieve the congested condition of the Chicago market yesterday brought about a rally of ½c a dozen in quotations of best grades of fresh laid offerings. Packing stock butter was lowered 1c a lb, and other low grades pressed on sale in excess of the demand, while fancy creameries were well held. Chickens met with a brisk buying and sold at a further advance of ½c. Inclement weather kept buyers away from the market for fresh fruits and green vegetables and the trade was quiet and weak.

EGGS.

Receipts were lighter at 5,787 cases and the market had a steady undertone. Quotations:

Storage packed firsts	19c	Ordinary firsts	18½c
Prime firsts	19½c	Seconds	9@10c
Extra firsts	19½c		

BUTTER.

Receipts of 5,852 tubs included only a limited supply of fancy creameries and more of the lower grades than the trade called for. Quotations:

Creameries, 92 score	26½c	Extras	22c
Firsts	24c	Firsts	19c
Seconds	20c	Packing stock	14c
Thirds	17c		

CHEESE.

Market was weak at recently reduced prices. Dealers quoted following values:

Twins	12½c	Swiss	16½c
Daisies	13½c	Limburger	13½c
Young Americas	13½c	Brick	13½c
Longhorns	13½c		

POULTRY.

Receipts were liberal, but the demand was brisk and prices were firm to a shade higher. Quotations:

Live—		Dressed—	
Turkeys	13c	Chickens	14c
Ducks	14c	Springs	14c
Geese	8c	Turkeys	21c
Fowls	15c	Fowls	17c
Springs	14c	Geese	12c
Roosters	10c		

VEGETABLES.

Trade was quieter, and prices showed a downward tendency. Receipts of potatoes, 43 cars. Quotations:

Potatoes, per bu	$1.50@2.00	Onions	$1.60@2.25
Celery, Kalamazoo, per doz	40@60c	Tomatoes, Mex., 4 baskets	$1.50@2.00
Lettuce, hot house, per bu	75@90c	Turnips, sacks	50@60c
Cabbage, per bbl	75@90c	Dry onions, 100 lbs	$1.85@2.00
Cabbage, per crate	25@30c	Beans, hand picked, per bu	$2.05@2.10
Cauliflower, per doz	50c@$1.00	Limb, Cal., 100 lbs	$4.25@4.35
Sweet potatoes, per bbl	4.00@4.50	Red kidneys	$2.75@3.00
Sweet potatoes, per crate	$2.00@2.50	Brown	$4.25@4.50
Carrots, per doz bchs	40c	Swedish	$2.10@2.75
Beets, per doz bchs	$1.00	Mushrooms, lb	30c
Parsley, per doz bchs	$1.00@1.50	Spinach, bris	$3.00@3.50
Cucumbers, per doz	$1.00	Radishes, doz	50@60c

AUTO SHOW FOR WISCONSIN.

Agricultural Board Decides to Hold It at the State Fair in Milwaukee Next September.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The state board of agriculture tonight decided to hold an automobile show in connection with the next state fair to be held in Milwaukee Sept. 12 to 16. Half of the machinery building, covering 180x340 feet, will be used for the show. Auto races will be held on Sept. 16.

LATE WALL STREET NEWS AND GOSSIP.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Spencer Trask & Co., William Solomon & Co., and Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co. are offering at 97 and interest $9,000,000 Consolidation Coal company first and refunding mortgage 5 per cent bonds, a large part of which already have been sold. The proceeds from the sale of these bonds will be used to retire about $6,000,000 prior lien bonds and the remainder will be expended upon a recently acquired tract of 100,000 acres of coal lands located in southeastern Kentucky, known as Elkhorn field, paid for entirely out of the $5,000,000 capital stock just issued.

It is learned that following the election of a new president of the Missouri Pacific Railway company there will be a complete reorganization of the executive staff of the road. This will be done by the new interests in control with a view of bringing about a more efficient operation of the system. It is understood several officials whose duties and titles are now more or less nominal will be retired from office and the new staff will be composed of thoroughly capable and active railroad men. It is believed the proposed changes will be in the interest of both economy and efficiency.

One or more of the new directors will be placed on the executive committee, which now is composed of George J. Gould, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Fred T. Gates, J. J. Slocum, C. S. Clarke, E. T. Jeffery, and Kinkdon Gould. The retirement of C. S. Clarke from the directorate at the annual meeting will leave a vacancy in the executive committee which will be filled, it is understood, by one of the new directors, and it is possible the place of another of the Gould men on the executive committee will be taken by one of the new directors.

Plans for improving the property require some time to work out, but it may be said the new interests purpose to direct their energies toward bringing the physical condition of the system up to a higher standard.

At the annual meeting of the directors of the Equitable Life Assurance society the vacancy in the presidency was not filled. The retiring officers were reflected, only routine business was transacted, and the following statement was issued:

"It was decided that, in view of the fact that under the provisions of the charter and by-laws the vice president, in the absence of the president, performs all the duties of that office, and the proper administration of the society's affairs is amply provided for, the election of a president and vice president be deferred to a future meeting of this board, for the reason that the period which has elapsed since the death of the late president has not been sufficient to give the matter proper consideration."

Robert Henderson, assistant actuary, was elected actuary of the society, and Robert Mather was appointed a member of the executive committee to succeed the late J. E. Swanstrom.

At the annual meeting of the Sharon Steel Hoop company the following directors were elected: S. P. Ker, F. C. Perkins, Charles Bachman, G. W. Short, W. O. Krane, J. P. White, and J. Reid Evans. Subsequently, the directors elected the following officers: S. P. Ker, president; G. W. Short, vice president; Charles Bachman, treasurer, and J. Reid Evans, secretary. No improvements to the plant were authorized. During 1910 the company witnessed a fairly prosperous period, but is now operating only about 50 per cent of capacity.

The Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie declared regular semi-annual dividends of 3½ per cent each on preferred and common stock, payable April 15 on stock of record March 3. Following the usual custom, preferred dividend was payable out of surplus earnings of the calendar year 1910 and the common dividend out of the surplus earnings of the calendar year 1909.

NEWS NOTES OF FINANCIAL WORLD.

The six months' statement of the Ontario Power company and the Ontario Transmission company shows a 21 per cent gain in gross and a 40 per cent gain in net. Interest charges are much heavier, however, and cut the half year surplus from $91,967 to $60,606. Of the $3,000,000 debenture issue, $2,000,000 have been deposited in trust with an agreement not to present coupons for interest up to July, 1912, unless the interest is earned. Payments have been made to date.

Books for the $2,000,000 first preferred stock of the W. H. McElwain company of Boston have been closed with the issue largely oversubscribed. There are authorized also $1,000,000 second preferred and $1,500,000 common, total capital of $5,000,000. The company will manufacture boots and shoes at plants located in Boston and four New Hampshire cities.

A short monograph on "The Science of Currency and Centralized Banking," by Herbert D. Miles, is published by Rand, McNally & Co. It is a discussion of recent reports issued by the national monetary commission and takes up the various national systems.

The Japanese Ship Owners' union proposes to form with the aid of the government the Cargo Steamship company, capital 15,000,000 yen, in anticipation of the opening of the Panama canal, expected to assure trade with South American countries.

The Pittsburg Steamship company, the marine branch of the United States Steel corporation, has purchased three of the largest freighters on the lakes from the Western Transit company. Each vessel has a carrying capacity of 12,000 tons.

The committee on valuation of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad has made its full report to the legislature. The total valuation is placed at $469,280,801. This is nearly $100,000,000 in excess of the official book figures.

Among the recent incorporations at Albany, N. Y., are the E. R. Thomas Motor Car company, capital $2,400,000, and the Atlantic Bitumas company, manufacturer of a patent liquid for producing light, heat, and power, capital $2,000,000.

A special meeting of the Philadelphia and Reading railway company will be held on April 21 to take formal action on the proposed increase in capital stock to an amount not exceeding $25,000,000.

London Fortnightly copper statistics indicate that the European stocks of copper on Feb. 1 decreased 34 tons, while copper supplies afloat decreased 350 tons, making a total of 384 tons.

It is announced that the Riverside plants of the National Tube company at Benwood will resume in all departments at once. The plants employ nearly 5,000 men.

The New York stock exchange membership of George N. Towle of Thompson, Towle & Co. has been posted for transfer to David Smyth.

The New York subtreasury gained $362,000 on Wednesday and since last Friday has lost $411,000.

WEALTHY FARMERS IN FEAST

$4,000,000 Represented at County Banquet in Joliet.

SOWERS TO BE AVIATORS?

Speeches, Songs, and Rhymes Entertain Fashionable Gathering.

A combined fortune of $4,000,000 in the farming wealth of northern Illinois was represented at Joliet yesterday at noon at the second annual Will county farmers' banquet. The banquet was held in the Ottawa Street Methodist church.

The hoe and the reaper were forgotten in speeches, songs, and rhyme, most of which were original. Woman suffrage energetically was espoused by both sexes, and several other serious contributions were made on the improvement of the country.

Several hundred farmers and members of their families attended the banquet, and they overbalanced in the fashionability of their attire, as in wealth, the people of the populous city whose guests they were for the day.

Sow Seed by Aeroplane?

Frank A. Rowley of Homer in a rhymed prophecy talked of farmers sowing seed with an aeroplane and becoming the millionaires of the nation.

John Jones, who after living in Joliet for years has decided to return to the farm, gave reasons for "the back to the land" movement.

Mrs. Arthur Godfrey of Lockport in speaking of education for the farmer slapped brewers and distilleries and gave a boost to woman suffrage by asserting that if women had representatives in congress who failed to obey the people's mandates they at once would institute the recall.

Women Figure in Feast.

James Patterson of Wheatland delivered a eulogy on women and Mrs. Jessie Thompson, also of Wheatland, eulogized corn. George Boardman, toastmaster, boasted of Will county and Mrs. John Baker of Manhattan gave a witty extemporaneous speech.

A prize of $500 was offered for the farmer raising the greatest crop on one acre of land in Will county this year. Many smaller prizes were offered by townships and others.

RESIN, TURPENTINE.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 16.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 87½c; sales, 147 casks; receipts, 306; shipments, 861; stocks, 2,770. RESIN—Firm; sales, 1,776 casks; receipts, 1,420; shipments, 820; stocks, 33,944. Quote: B, $1.12½; D, $7.15; F, $7.17½; G, $7.20; G, $7.22½; H, $7.40; I, $7.60; K, $7.80; M, $7.95; N, $8.00; W G, $8.05; W W, $8.10.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 16.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—86½c; receipts none. RESIN—Steady, $6.75; receipts none. TAR—Firm, $2.40; receipts, 166 brls. CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $5.60, $2.35, and nothing doing; receipts, 16 brls.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 16.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 87½c. RESIN—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, $7.10; D, $7.12½; E, $7.15; F, $7.17½; G, $7.30; H, $7.35; I, $7.40; K, $7.50; M, $7.90; N, $8.00; W G, $8.05; W W, $8.10.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 16.—Receipts, 158 brls resin, 13 brls turpentine; exports none.

Oils.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Wholesale prices of carbon and other oils: Standard white, 150, 34c; perfection, 9c; headlight, 175, 10c; cosmo, 10½c; elaine, 12c; Y. M. P. naphtha, 11c; Michigan test, w. w., 10c; p. w., 9c; gasoline, 13½c; machine gasoline, 32c; naphtha, 63 to 76, single brls, $1.01; 5 brl lots, $1.00; tar, 90c; boiled, single brls, $1.01; 5 brl lots, $1.00; turpentine, 58c; summer black oil, 7½c; winter black oil, 8c. These quotations apply to brl lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—PETROLEUM—Steady. COTTONSEED OIL—Weak; prime crude, 5.60c; prime summer yellow, spot, 6.60@6.70c; February, 6.70@6.75c; March, 6.74@6.75c; April, 6.74@6.78c; May, 6.77@6.78c; June, 6.80@6.85c.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 16.—Credit balances, $1.36. Runs, 160,000; average, 128,000. Shipments, 93,000; average, 107,160.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 16.—Oil—North Lima, 60c; South Lima, 73c; Indiana, 77c.

C. H. Moore Calls Self Bankrupt.

Charles H. Moore, for a number of years engaged in the wholesale grocery business, yesterday filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District court, scheduling liabilities of $169,716 and assets of $100,000.

Convicted of Bankruptcy Fraud.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 16.—Charles Rosen and Morris Levin, local jewelers, were convicted here today under the Nelson act, which makes it a criminal offense to conceal assets of bankrupts from creditors. Rosen was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment.

SHOW DEPICTS CEMENT USERS

Exhibition at the Coliseum Is Thrown Open to Public.

NEW BUILDING ERA CITED.

Many Models Cover Range to Which Product Has Been Adopted.

The fourth annual cement show of Chicago was opened at 8 o'clock last night at the Coliseum. Thousands of persons crowded into the building so that in a few minutes it was difficult to pass through the aisles.

Nearly every conceivable way in which cement could be applied was shown to the visitors. Exhibits covering everything from the raw material to large models of complete cement houses filled the entire Coliseum, both on the main floor and in the balcony. In all there were 206 exhibitors at the show.

Models Give Ideas to Visitors.

One of the attractive exhibits is a reproduction in cement of an Italian garden, with cement fountain and cement benches. Across the aisle is one of the models of cement bungalows, and scattered over the first floor are many models of houses, ranging in price from $1,500 to $25,000. The houses probably attract as much interest as anything in the exhibition.

The interest in the guessing contest for a $4,000 cement house was shown in the crowds that gathered around the specimen of concrete which will serve as the basis for the guessing power of all the women who attend the show.

Chance for Women Each Day.

Each afternoon a chance will be given every woman to estimate the compressive powers of a small column of concrete, and the six who come closest to the real mark will settle the question by a special test on the last night of the show.

The show will close on the evening of Feb. 23. The officers are Edward M. Hagar, president; Norman D. Fraser, vice president; and J. U. C. McDaniel, secretary and treasurer. J. P. Beck is manager.

CARLILE QUITS MUTUAL LIFE.

Manager of Chicago Department Not in Entire Accord with Company's Future Policy.

William B. Carlile, manager of the Chicago department of the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, yesterday submitted his resignation to President Charles A. Peabody. Mr. Carlile is not in entire accord with the future policy of the company in directing its affairs in the city. Mr. Carlile has been with the Mutual Life for twenty years. He will take a few months' rest before returning to life insurance activities.

Mr. Carlile is chairman of the general entertainment committee of the Chicago Life Underwriters' association that will have in charge the annual convention of the National Life Underwriters' association in Chicago next fall.

NEWS OF THE COURTS

Illinois Supreme Court Decisions.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Supreme court proceedings today were:

Banschamp vs. Burgess & Burns Mfg. Co.; motion by appellant for leave to argue orally allowed; motion for leave to file new briefs denied.

People state of Illinois vs. Schreiber; motion by plaintiff in error for leave to file additional assignment of errors and for leave to file additional statement brief and argument allowed, brief to be filed by Saturday morning.

People state of Illinois vs. Fred T. Walker; motion for supersedeas allowed; bail fixed at $1,500; no sureties have been offered or bail; on proof of sufficiency of the sureties bail will be allowed in bond of $1,500.

People state of Illinois vs. Brice; motion by plaintiff in error for leave to file reply briefs instanter; allowed.

Wallace vs. Fotwell et al.; joint motion to continue allowed.

Palmer vs. Lesher; motion by William B. Mellrahn, as amicus curiæ, for leave to file instanter Appellate court transcript and suggestions in opposition to petition.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

1904—Charles H. Moore, merchant; liabilities, $168,716.18; assets, $100,000; Buckley, Gray & Moore, attorneys.

1905—Nicholas Hoffman, cigar manufacturer, 160 Lake street; liabilities, $1,223.85; assets, $610.04; Walter S. Bear, attorney.

1906—Walter B. Cole, grocer, 1649 North Paulina street; liabilities, $1,487.47; assets, $250.00; M. W. E. W. & S. W. Vedder, attorneys.

WHEAT IS HIGHER ON WAR REPORTS

Shorts Cover on Rumor of Impending Conflict Between Russia and China.

COARSE GRAINS RESPOND.

Corn and Oats Show Sympathy, Although Business Is Light; Gains Are Slight.

Wheat values worked in marked contrast yesterday with those of the preceding day, being influenced by the reports of strained relations between Russia and China, which are said to be at the breaking point and that Russia has notified the governments of Great Britain, France, and Germany of her intention to make a military demonstration on the Russo-Chinese frontier owing to China's persistent violation of the St. Petersburg treaty of 1881. This information caused a decided switch on the part of traders and buying from all sources forced prices up to the top of the day and at the close the range was ⅝ to ⅞c higher.

Another important factor was the belief that the anti-option bill will die in the senate and will not include grain. There was excellent action in the market both early and late and the local trade was encouraged by a firm and higher Liverpool market to work for a further recovery from the depression of Wednesday. The most violent fluctuations occurred during the forenoon and the last hour recorded extreme strength and a strong advance. Aside from the war news, cables indicated a firmer tone to the market abroad, as there was a cold wave passing over the United Kingdom and extremely hard weather reported over the winter wheat belt of Russia, with Black sea ports blocked with ice which influenced a better continental demand for cargoes.

Cash Wheat Situation Dull.

There is little new in the situation so far as cash wheat and flour are concerned, although a sale of durum wheat at Buffalo was reported for export by making a special concession in price.

Corn Shorts Cover Freely.

There was only a moderate business done in corn, and the market ruled heavy in tone until the sharp upturn in wheat took place, causing a small stampede of shorts, which brought about a moderate advance. Prices at the close were ¾@¾c higher. Rumors were rife of a decided increase in the demand from exporters, but reported sales finally narrowed down to a small amount sold for shipment to Baltimore. The domestic demand showed no particular improvement and cash prices were steady to ¼c lower.

Southwest houses claimed light receipts and an improved shipping demand. In a general way, the market showed a stronger tone from the action in wheat. There was little country selling in Illinois, as the country roads were said to be bottomless. The eastern demand was poor, although Baltimore again bought some corn here for export—around 50,000 bu—and there was a good call for export there.

Light Trade in Oats.

The oats market improved somewhat in sympathy with wheat and corn and final prices were unchanged to ¼c higher. There was considerable buying of May and selling of September by commission houses and speculators, the elevator people doing the reverse and the country selling some May. The shorts, however, were the principal buyers. The professional element in the market were inclined to work for an advance, with commission houses the principal sellers. Receipts here were 280 cars, with 148 cars estimated for today. Primary receipts were 881,000 bu, against 411,000 bu last year. Cash sales were reported small.

Provision List Higher.

Provisions ranged higher following the advance of from 10c to 15c in hog prices at the yards, the lighter receipts there, the smaller runs at other packing centers, and the strength in grain. Local packers were the best buyers, while longs among larger local packers and packer-speculators were on the selling side. Before the session ended, however, the support gave out in all products and a break of moderate proportions took place. Final prices ranged from 2½c to 7½c lower. Hog packing west for the week aggregated 575,000 head, against 460,000 head a year ago, an increase of 115,000 head.

Rye Is Scarce.

Rye was in smaller supply and choice was in higher. No. 2 was quoted 82c, No. 3 75c, and No. 4 65@75c. Receipts estimated at 1 car.

Barley was unchanged. Malting was quoted 60@70c, feed 60@75c, and screenings 24@44c. Receipts were estimated at 19 cars.

Flaxseed was unchanged. A part car of No. 1 northwestern sold at $2.60 and the market was quoted at $2.71 at the close. No. 1 southwestern closed at $2.68, No. 2 southwestern $2.58, and received $2.46@2.58. Receipts 1 car. Duluth closed unchanged; May, $2.67. Receipts were 2 cars. Minneapolis closed unchanged; cash on track, $2.67. Receipts were 15 cars.

Timothy seed was firm. March closed at $11.25 bid; country lots $8.50@10.50. Clover seed steady; March, $14.75, nominal; country lots, $10.00@14.25.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Prices today reacted from yesterday's new low. May closed 1¼c higher than yesterday, July 1½c higher, and September ⅝c higher. The market was nervous and wild. Fluctuations were sharp, although not in specially wide range. Washington advices were not as favorable for the reciprocity treaty and this had a strengthening effect on the market. Local elevator stocks of wheat decreased 400,000 bu for five days. Minneapolis today received 189 cars of wheat, against 165 cars a year ago; Duluth, 58 against 32; and Winnipeg, 107 against 153. May opened 97c, high 98¼c, low 97c, close 97¼c; July opened 98c, high 99¼c, low 98c, close 98¾@98¼c; September opened 93c, high 94c, low 93c, close 93¾c. Cash was steady to a trifle firmer today. Demand was strong for choice spring grades and slow for lower varieties. Both local and country millers were good buyers. No. 1 northern sold for the even May contract to 3c above. Close: No. 1 hard, 99¾c; No. 1 northern, 98@99¾c; to arrive, 98@99¾c; No. 2 northern, 97¾c; to arrive, 96@97¾c; No. 3 wheat, 92@96c.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 42@42½c. OATS—No. 3 white, 29@29½c. RYE—No. 2, 77c. FLAX—Receipts, 15 cars; year ago, 17 cars; shipments, 9 cars. Demand continued strong for both spot and to arrive at the even Duluth May price. Closing price, $2.37. BARLEY—Receipts, 37 cars; year ago, 89; shipments, 26 cars. The barley market held about steady today. Closing prices were unchanged from yesterday. Malting barley in strong demand and feeding grades slow. Closing range, 60@65c. MILLSTUFFS—Eastern demand still, western demand good. Market not as strong and quotations lowered. BRAN—In 100 lb sacks, $21.00@21.50. FLOUR—Mills are having hard time to get enough business to keep from closing down. Demands low and shipping directions lax. Small export sales. Prices unchanged. Shipments, 53,012 brls. First patents, $4.60@4.85; second patents, $4.40@4.75; first clears, $3.80@4.25; second clears, $3.25@3.60.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—FLOUR—Dull and barely steady; receipts, 18,894 brls; shipments, 7,894. RYE FLOUR—Quiet. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Quiet. BUCKWHEAT—Steady; American, 77c asked c. i. f. New York. CORN MEAL—Steady. RYE—Dull. BARLEY—Firm; malting, 68@71.02 c. i. f. Buffalo. WHEAT—Spot irregular; prices lower. No. 2 red, export elevator and 90½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.03½ f. o. b. afloat. Futures market: Opening steadier on cables, wheat weakened under reports of rain in the southwest and offerings by commission houses. Rumors of export business and the talk of trouble between Russia and China caused afternoon buying, with prices rising in front months, closing at 3c net advance; May, 97 9-16@97¾c, closed 98¼c; July closed 88c; receipts, 82,400 bu; shipments nil. CORN—Spot easy; new No. 2 51½c f. o. b. afloat. Futures market without transactions, closing ½c net advance; May closed 50¼c; receipts, 67,850 bu; shipments, 2,000. OATS—Spot steady. Futures market without transactions, closing steady; May, 37½c; July, 37½c; receipts, 33,075 bu.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Cash: WHEAT—Unchanged; No. 2 hard, 97@98c; No. 3, 94@96c; No. 2 red, 99@99c; No. 3, 92@97c. CORN—½c higher; No. 2 mixed, 49½@49½c; No. 3, 47½@48½c; No. 2 white, 49@49c; No. 3, 47@48½c. OATS—Unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 white, 31@31½c; No. 3 white, 30@30½c. RYE—No. 2, 74@75c. Receipts—Wheat, 84,000 bu; corn, 16,800 bu; oats, 11,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 66,000 bu; corn, 40,000 bu; oats, 12,000 bu.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Cash; on track: No. 1 hard, 99¾c; on track to arrive, No. 1 northern, 97½; No. 2 northern, 94@96½c; May, 97¾c asked; July, 88¾c asked. Receipts, 58 cars; in store and on track, 1,000,000 bu. No. 1, Minn., 1 car, 97½c; No. 2 hard, Minn., 1 car, 97½c; No. 1 northern, Minn., 1 car, 97½c; No. 2 northern, Minn., 1 car, 96½c; No. 3 northern, Minn., 1 car, 94½c; No. 1 northern, Dak., 1 car, 97½c; No. 2 northern, Dak., 1 car, 96½c; No. 3 northern, Dak., 1 car, 94½c; No. 2 northern, Mont., 1 car, 96½c; No. 3 northern, Mont., 1 car, 94½c; No. 2 red, 1 car, 96½c; No. 3 red, 1 car, 94½c; rejected, 1 car, 94½c; special bin, 1 car, 97½c; to arrive, 1 car, 97½c; 1 car, 96½c; 1 car, 94½c; 1 car, 93½c; 1 car, 92½c; 1 car, 91½c; 1 car, 90½c; 1 car, 89½c; 1 car, 88½c; 1 car, 87½c; 1 car, 86½c; 1 car, 85½c; 1 car, 84½c; 1 car, 83½c; 1 car, 82½c; 1 car, 81½c; 1 car, 80½c; 1 car, 79½c; 1 car, 78½c; 1 car, 77½c; 1 car, 76½c; 1 car, 75½c; 1 car, 74½c; 1 car, 73½c; 1 car, 72½c; 1 car, 71½c; 1 car, 70½c; 1 car, 69½c; 1 car, 68½c; 1 car, 67½c; 1 car, 66½c; 1 car, 65½c; 1 car, 64½c; 1 car, 63½c; 1 car, 62½c; 1 car, 61½c; 1 car, 60½c; 1 car, 59½c; 1 car, 58½c; 1 car, 57½c; 1 car, 56½c; 1 car, 55½c; 1 car, 54½c; 1 car, 53½c; 1 car, 52½c; 1 car, 51½c; 1 car, 50½c; 1 car, 49½c; 1 car, 48½c; 1 car, 47½c; 1 car, 46½c; 1 car, 45½c; 1 car, 44½c; 1 car, 43½c; 1 car, 42½c; 1 car, 41½c; 1 car, 40½c; 1 car, 39½c; 1 car, 38½c; 1 car, 37½c; 1 car, 36½c; 1 car, 35½c; 1 car, 34½c; 1 car, 33½c; 1 car, 32½c; 1 car, 31½c; 1 car, 30½c; 1 car, 29½c; 1 car, 28½c; 1 car, 27½c; 1 car, 26½c; 1 car, 25½c; 1 car, 24½c; 1 car, 23½c; 1 car, 22½c; 1 car, 21½c; 1 car, 20½c; 1 car, 19½c; 1 car, 18½c; 1 car, 17½c; 1 car, 16½c; 1 car, 15½c; 1 car, 14½c; 1 car, 13½c; 1 car, 12½c; 1 car, 11½c; 1 car, 10½c; 1 car, 9½c; 1 car, 8½c; 1 car, 7½c; 1 car, 6½c; 1 car, 5½c; 1 car, 4½c; 1 car, 3½c; 1 car, 2½c; 1 car, 1½c; 1 car, ½c.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

There was a little more activity in the cash grain market yesterday, with sales of wheat placed at 5,000 bu, corn at 500,000 bu, with 250,000 bu sold for export, and 95,000 bu of oats. Baltimore had bids for No. 2 red from France showing an advance of 1c, but scarcity of freight room prevented working. A little better demand was reported at Minneapolis and Duluth and 100,000 bu were reported sold at Buffalo for export. There was also a little better inquiry at Duluth, St. Louis, and Minneapolis for flour. There was a slow demand for cash wheat in the southwest, with prices 1@2c lower at Kansas City and about unchanged at St. Louis.

R. W. Snow of Bartlett, Frazier & Co. says: "Advices from the southwest mailed since the drought was broken are emphatic in claims of great improvement in wheat. Looks now as if spring reports may show crop up to normal on the tremendous acreage seeded last fall."

New York reported that the situation among exporters is discouraging. No one will give a quotation on United States wheat. Quotations from France show that our prices are about 3c too high.

Telegrams from Montreal stated that several export houses did some business there yesterday, also considerable inquiry for February, March, and May-June shipment. Bids were ⅝c higher.

As illustrating the condition of country roads in Illinois a message from Chatsworth stated that the roads are in bad shape and will halt deliveries for some time.

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 15.
May	91⅝-¾-⅝	92⅝	91⅜	91¾-2	91⅝	
July	90⅝-¾	91½	90¼	90¾-1	90¼-⅜	
Sept	89¾	90⅜	89¾	90-¼	89⅝	

CORN.

May	46¾-½	49¼	46⅜	48¾-9	48½-¾	
July	49¾-¾	50¼	49¼	50	49¾-¾	
Sept	50⅜	51¼	50½	51	50⅝	

OATS.

May	31¾-½	31¾	31⅜	31⅝	31⅜-½	
July	31⅜	31¾-½	31¼	31⅝-½	31¼-⅜	
Sept	31¼	31⅝	31	31¼	31¼	

MESS PORK.

May	17.70	17.70	17.55	17.55	17.60
July	17.00	17.02½	16.92½	16.95	17.02½

LARD.

May	9.45	9.45	9.37½	9.37½	9.45
July	9.35	9.37½	9.30	9.30	9.35
Sept	....	....	....	9.52½	9.55

SHORT RIBS.

May	9.45	9.47½	9.40	9.40	9.45
July	9.22½	9.25	9.20	9.20	9.22½
Sept	9.27½	9.27½	9.20	9.20	9.22½

Prices at Outside Markets.

WHEAT.

	May			July		
	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
New York	98½	97¼	98¼	97	96⅝	97
St. Louis	93⅛	92¾	92⅞	90	89⅝	89⅝
Winnipeg	95	94½	94⅝	90	90¾	90
Duluth	99¾	97	98½	90	88¾	89¼
Minneapolis	98⅝	97	97¼	90¾	90	90¾
Kansas City	88⅞	88	88⅝	86¾	86	86⅛
Toledo	94	90¾	94	92½	91⅜	92½
Baltimore	96	95¼	95½	....	....	....

CORN.

New York	57	57	57	....	....	....
St. Louis	46	47¾	47¼	40¾	39⅝	40¾
Kansas City	47¾	46⅞	47¼	46¾	47¼	46¾

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	6	...	9	4	19
Spring wheat	4	...	1	5	10
Durum wheat	1	...	...	1	2
Mixed wheat	1	...	...	1	2
Corn	7	...	204	975	786
Oats	70	45	131	14	260
Rye	1	...	1	...	2
Barley	10	...	19	18	47
Totals	100	45	369	617	1,131

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 red, 814 bu; No. 1 northern, 1,000 bu. Oats—No. 3 white, 19,666 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 3 hard, 1 car; No. 2 red, 5 cars; No. 1 northern, 1 car; No. 2 durum, 3 cars; No. 2 velvet chaff, 3 cars. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 7 cars; No. 3 yellow, 53 cars; No. 4 yellow, 7 cars; No. 3 white, 18 cars; No. 4 white, 18 cars; No. 3 mixed, 81 cars; No. 4 mixed, 50 cars. Oats—No. 2 white, 18 cars; standard, 49 cars; No. 3 white, 2 cars; No. 2 mixed, 1 car; white clipped, 10 cars; purified white, 4 cars; No. 2 rust proof, 1 car.

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups			Downs		
Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	92¾	92½	92¾	91¾	91¼	91¾
July	91¾	91¼	91¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
Corn—						
May	49¾	48½	49¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
July	50¾	50¼	50¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Oats—						
May	31⅜	31¼	31⅜	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
July	31¾	31½	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾

Primary Movement.

| | Receipts—

BUSINESS, COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL SECTION

CASH CONDITIONS GROW IRREGULAR

Slightly Firmer Tendency at Some Banks in the Matter of Commercial Paper.

SWELL BANK BALANCES.

Country Financiers Continue to Add to Their Reserves Held in Chicago.

Local money conditions appear to have grown irregular. While call loans are made at 4 per cent, there is reported at some of the banks a slightly firmer tendency in the matter of commercial paper. Sentiment, however, is not uniform. Varying conditions at the individual banks have resulted in the irregularity noted.

Ten days ago commercial paper brokers were inclined to encourage their customers to get into the money market while rates were low. Good paper was then sold on a 3½ per cent basis. This rate, however, did not last long and 4 per cent became the minimum. Now there is a fair volume of good paper offering at 4½ per cent.

Bank Deposits Pile Up.

Country bank balances continue to show an upward tendency, demonstrating the easy condition of funds in the west. The largest local national bank now has a total of roundly $171,000,000 deposits, of which $106,000,000 represents country bank balances. The deposits of this institution, the Continental and Commercial, have jumped nearly $30,000,000 since the last bank call on Jan. 7, when its total deposits were something over $151,000,000.

Good Bond Market.

Meanwhile the market for bonds is reported to continue good. This still applies largely to public service corporation issues. In this connection it may be noted that the $16,000,000 Chicago Railways first mortgage 5 per cent bonds, which were brought out a few weeks ago were all disposed of to investors within three days after the offering of the issue. A considerable percentage of the bonds was taken in London. New York and the west generally were good buyers. A wide market has been created for the company's bonds and they sell with marked rapidity as the last offering has demonstrated.

Lackawanna Annual.

Concerning the coming annual report of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, President Truesdale was reported yesterday as saying that the gross earnings would show an increase over 1909 but that expenses were heavier. The report will not admit of regular comparison with 1909 owing to the adjustments following the sale of the company's holdings of Lehigh Valley and the separation of its coal holdings, the latter being made a separate department.

President Truesdale is further quoted as saying that but for the uncertainty of the action of the interstate commerce commission regarding the proposed increase in freight rates to a basis sufficient to recoup the corporation for the advances actually made in wages, he would be inclined to take an optimistic view of the outlook.

There will be no changes in the board of directors at the annual meeting.

Mackay Companies.

The Mackay companies report for the fiscal year ended Feb. 7, 1911, the following:

		Increase.
Income from investments	$4,125,907	$317,320
Operating expenses	37,194	4,589
Preferred dividend	2,000,000	
Common dividend	2,099,092	$10,383
Surplus	19,621	1,948

Of particular interest in the annual report is the review of the results of the establishment of the night letter service, which has been in operation about a year and a half. The report says in part that a great deal of the day business has gone over to night, the most noticeable example being in the case of the Pacific coast, where day business has lost nearly a half. Successful in so far as it distributed the "load" over twenty-four hours, the system allows the transmission of fifty words at the same number paid for ten, so that the advantage is decidedly doubtful. The company reports the construction of new trunk lines in the west and renewal work in the cable service.

New York Central Notes.

President Brown of the New York Central says that all 1911 requirements are covered in the proposed sale of $50,000,000 three year 4½ per cent notes. All of this amount will be available for construction work, the equipment requirements being covered by orders already placed. This will show the same amount of fresh money capital it had in 1910 after the payment at maturity of last year's notes.

The construction, cost of which will be covered, includes a continuation of the Grand Central station work and construction in the electric zone, providing a third and fourth track on the Hudson division, new freight and passenger facilities at Utica and Rochester, and other improvements.

Negotiations are under way for the sale in France of the $60,000,000 issue of collateral trust notes of the Central Pacific railway company, authorized by the directors of the Southern Pacific company, which owns all the $84,225,500 of the Central Pacific stock.

The $10,000,000 Baltimore and Ohio 4½ per cent notes recently sold to Speyer & Co. and Kuhn, Loeb & Co. are the balance of the $50,000,000 authorized issue, of which the syndicate bought $40,000,000 last May. The notes just issued, maturing June 1, 1913, will retire a similar amount maturing March 10 next.

The subscription list for the $5,000,000 refunding and improvement 5s of the Kansas City Southern has been closed. Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. and the National City bank of New York reporting the issue largely oversubscribed.

Pittsburg Plate Glass.

The report of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company for the year ended Dec. 31 shows profits before depreciation charges equal to 11.3 per cent on $23,750,000 capital stock, against 10.05 per cent in 1909.

Gross business showed a 15.7 per cent gain, growing from $39,709,987 to $62,974,904. The Kokomo and Crystal City plants are in operation, and the investment in the Comagnie (Belgium) factory has proved profitable.

Of the report Chairman John Pitcairn says in part:

"The earnings may be regarded as satisfactory in view of the fact that by the unfortunate fire at Ford City we sustained a heavy indirect loss of profits on eight months' output of the plant, having the largest production and lowest cost.

"Considering the large portion of our assets invested in new factories, coal and gas properties, and warehouse stocks, which were inventoried at the lowest current market prices, it is believed that is ample allowances for depreciation to be charged against the year's operations. Following our usual practice, we have charged off all accounts six months past due with a 'few special exceptions.'"

International Smokeless Powder.

The International Smokeless Powder and Chemical company for the year ended Dec. 31 shows a deficit after the payment of dividends on the stock, payments being considerably heavier than in preceding years. The company has $600,000 preferred and $6,000,000 common stock. The income account compares as follows:

	1910.	1909.	1908.
Net from sales	$290,992	$256,279	$213,226
Int. and divs. rec'd	3,709	2,434	1,978
Total net	$293,698	$258,713	$215,204
Interest			7,132
Dividends paid	960,000	272,000	208,500
Deficit	$ 82,302	*$ 15,313	*$ 2,071
Previous surplus	820,447	814,623	811,607
Total surplus	$737,146	$835,937	$814,535

*Surplus.

President H. G. Blaker says: "The working capital of the company has been increased materially since last year, while current liabilities remain at a minimum. The company has ready for delivery to the United States government an unusually large amount of powder from which the profits really belong to the year 1910, although our methods of bookkeeping will account them profits to the year 1911."

General Railway Signal.

With gross earnings three and a half times as large as in 1910 the General Railway Signal company showed 1910 with a surplus equal to 9.05 per cent on the $3,000,000 common stock after allowing 6 per cent on the $2,000,000 preferred. This compares with deficits after charges in the two years preceding, and a surplus of $2,883 in 1907.

Dividends Declared.

The National Lead company has declared a dividend of ¾ of 1 per cent on its common stock, payable March 31. Books close March 20 and reopen March 24.

The International Silver company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent and an extra dividend of ¼ of 1 per cent on the preferred stock. The dividend is the same as was declared in the previous quarter.

The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent.

The Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railway company has declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 3½ per cent each on its preferred and common stocks, payable April 15 to stock of record March 31.

The customary dividend of $2 a share for this quarter on the stock of the Homer and Alhambra railroad company will be paid on March 31 to stock of record Feb. 28.

Money and Exchange.

Money in Chicago steady at 4@5 per cent on commercial paper and local collateral loans and 4½@5 per cent over the counter. Foreign exchange was dull at the following quotations:

Sterling—	Demand.	Sixty days.
Actual	483½	480¾
Commercial	483⅝	480
Paris francs—		
Actual	5.16¾	5.22½
Commercial	5.20	5.23¾
German marks—		
Actual	95 5-16	94 5-16
Commercial	94 15-16	94 5-16

New York exchange sold at 10c premium before and 15c premium after the board.

Chicago clearings, $40,128,070.

Western Electric Earnings.

January gross earnings of the Western Electric company were slightly in excess of those of a year ago, in contrast with the 15 per cent decrease shown by the General Electric company in the same comparison. The company, too, made the usual efforts to crowd as much business as possible into December so as to add to the fiscal year's showing. The company reports that the orders were well distributed in nature and in geographic location. The company would seem to be starting the year well. The twelve months ended last November showed gross of around $61,000,000. The full thirteen months' period ended Dec. 31. Following the change in the fiscal period to the calendar year, showed gross earnings of around $68,000,000.

McCrum-Howell Annual.

Announcement was received yesterday by stockholders of the McCrum-Howell company that the regular annual meeting of the shareholders will be held at 50 Nowell, Conn., on Feb. 21. The Wednesday following the third Monday in February is the date for the regular meeting, as provided in the bylaws, but as this particular Wednesday will fall on Feb. 22, a legal holiday, the following day was set as the day of the meeting.

Chicago Securities.

Prices were irregular on the local stock exchange, seven issues scoring new records, which ranged all the way from 1 point to 10 points. Of the new high record issues, Commonwealth Edison, which opened at 130 and sold up to 132, was the most active. Diamond Match, the profit taking for the part of room traders at the high price of 98¾, but it did not hold. The close was at 98.

Booth Fisheries common were again firm. The common stock closed at 49, gaining 3 points on the day. The preferred was also in demand and closed at 77¾. On Wednesday the opening price was 76. Illinois Brick stock was weak. McCrum-Howell common was steady at 58.

CHICAGO STOCK EXCHANGE.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can pfd.	100	81	81	81	81
Amn. Shipbuilding	25	77	77	77	77
Booth Fisheries	200	49	49	49	49
Do pfd.	410	76½	78	76	77¼
Do otfs.	195	45¾	47	45¾	46
Chi. Pneu. Tool	600	50¾	50¾	50	50
Chicago Subway	20	4	4	4	4
Chicago Telephone	17	122	122	120	120
Commwealth Edison	115	116	116	116	116
Diamond Match	22	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
Illinois Brick	440	60	60	54½	54½
K. C. Ry. & L. pfd	9	69½	69½	69½	69½
McCrum-Howell	50	50	50	50	50
Nat. Biscuit pfd.	3	124	124	124	124
Peoples Gas	125	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Reading	200	156¾	156¾	156¾	156¾
Sears-Roebuck	985	160	160	157	158
Do pfd.	25	121	121	121	121
S. S. Elevated	25	66	66	66	66
Street's Stable Car	20	10	10	10	10
Swift & Co.	80	101¾	101¾	101	101¼
United States Steel	1,200	80¾	80¾	79¾	79¾

Total shares sold, 4,962.

Closing bid and asked prices were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	9¾	9¾
Do pfd	80¾	82¾
American Shipbuilding	75	77
Do pfd	113	114
Booth Fisheries	47¾	49
Do pfd	76¼	77¾
Chicago City Railway	175	190
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	50	50¼
Chicago Railways series 1	91½	93
Do series 2	24	25
Do series 3	5¾	6½
Do series 4	5¾	6¼
Chicago Subway	4	4¼
Chicago Telephone	120	121
Chicago Title & Trust	153	155
Commonwealth Edison	125¼	116
Diamond Match	90	94
Illinois Brick	60½	65
K. C. Railway & Light	20½	21
Do pfd	69¾	71
Metropolitan Elevated	20	23
Do pfd	66	67
National Biscuit	122	122
Do pfd	123	127
National Carbon	116¾	119
Do pfd	117	119
Northwestern Elevated	20	22
Do pfd	60	63
Peoples Gas	106½	107
Quaker Oats	167	170
Do pfd	103	104
Sears-Roebuck	167	169
Do pfd	120½	121
South Side Elevated	86¼	89
Swift & Co.	103	103¼
United Boatsmen	5¾	6

BONDS.

$ 8,000	C. C. Railway 5s	102¾
6,000	Chicago Railways 5s	97¾@98
3,000	do temp. ctfs.	97¾
17,000	Chi. Rys., ctfs. series 1	83¾@85
5,000	Commonwealth Edison 5s	101¾
1,000	Commonwealth Electric 5s	101¾
2,000	Metropolitan El. gold 4s	88¼@88¾
10,000	Northwestern El 4s	85¼
6,000	South Side El. 4½s	98½
4,500	Swift & Co. 5s	100¼@100⅝

Total bonds sold $58,500.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

On the basis of outside income and rentals, about the same as in 1910, the fiscal year of 1910, the Illinois Central has closed its half year with a surplus equal to around 5.33 per cent on the $100,266,000 capital stock. This is at the rate of better than 10% per cent for the full year, and compares with 7.16 The half year closed with December showing a and 7.44 in 1909 and 10.19 and 10.50 in 1908.

A 5 per cent gain in gross, a reduction in the operating ratio from 72.79 to 66.99 per cent, giving a gain of nearly 97 per cent in net and a 54 per cent increase in net income from operations. Figures for the half year show a 7.09 per cent gross gain, a 15.5 per cent net gain, and a 26 per cent gain in income.

Interest charges for the half year were about the same as a year ago, the $2,740,000 refunding bonds not being issued until last month. Assuming other charges and credits to be about the same, the $7,150,160 operating income for the half year would be distributed about as follows:

Operating income	$ 7,223,800
Other income	4,200
Total net	$10,940,560
Rentals	1,435,000
Interest	3,985,000
Fixed charges	4,420,000
Surplus for stock	$ 5,520,000

This equals 5.53 per cent on the stock. The detailed amount of operations follow:

December:	1910.	Increase.
Mileage	4,650.94	
Freight revenue	$ 2,946,520	$326,707
Passenger revenue	3,138,963	124,434
Other transportation	286,150	37,561
Nontransportation revenue	35,640	4,068
Total operating revenue	6,336,794	491,499
Maint. of way and structure	429,219	40,742
Maint. of equipment	968,910	*226,510
Traffic expense	126,788	*1,066
Transportation expense	1,695,301	171,622
General expenses	108,805	4,825
Total operating expenses	3,329,475	*113,147
Net operating revenue	3,027,319	402,606
Outside operating (net)	858	4,305
Total net revenue	1,628,177	406,912
Taxes	228,177	*43,376
Operating income	3,800,177	363,780
July 1:		
Freight revenue	20,208,125	1,498,529
Passenger revenue	6,620,462	645,022
Other transportation rev.	3,441,034	169,065
Nontransportation, revenue	1,071,744	30,297
Total operating revenue	31,294,439	2,344,148
Maint. of way and structure	4,103,102	*346,035
Maint. of equipment	6,382,431	*407,796
Traffic expense	974,038	38,866
Transportation expenses	10,694,747	987,467
General expenses	625,519	25,695
Total operating expenses	22,184,794	948,119
Net operating revenue	9,209,695	1,395,024
Outside operating (debit)	83,823	10,256
Total net revenue	9,170,161	1,984,786
Taxes	1,771,402	271,402
Operating income	7,959,060	3,628,250

*Decrease.

BIG FOUR.

Through comparison with a poor month of the preceding year the December statement of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis makes a better showing than did the previous months, with a 13 per cent gain in operating income following a 12.5 per cent gain in gross. The half year's report shows a 7 per cent gain in gross, but an increase in the operating ratio, largely consumed in transportation, from 67.80 to 77.15 per cent, and a loss in income of 28.2 per cent.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

An extra dividend of ¾ of 1 per cent on the preferred stock. The dividend is the same as was distributed in the previous quarter.

The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent.

The Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railway company has declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 3½ per cent each on its preferred and common stocks, payable April 15 to stock of record March 31.

The customary dividend of $2 a share for this quarter on the stock of the Homer and Alhambra railroad company will be paid on March 31 to stock of record Feb. 28.

NEW YORK STOCKS SUFFER REACTION

Closing Prices Reveal Only Moderate Recoveries from Low Point of Day.

TWO FACTORS PROMINENT

Excellent Foreign Trade Showing and Cut in Discount Rate Have Effect.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

New York, Feb. 16.—Though Wall street could see a fortnight ago when the January rise came to a pause that reaction was in order, the actual appearance of this delayed movement today found some bewilderment among traders. The possibility of an extra session of congress over the reciprocity measure and the probable reopening of the entire tariff question were discussed, but these had little effect.

The volume of business ran to nearly 700,000 shares, an exceptional figure for recent sessions, and closing prices revealed moderate recoveries from the low of the day. Not until after the close of business did the dispute between the city authorities and government's exchange over the listing of the new city bonds become known, but its possible consequences are so serious as to suggest some reflection of them in the stock market of the day.

Two Favorable Items.

Two distinctly favorable items in the news budget were the excellent January foreign trade showing and a reduction of the Bank of England's discount rate. An excellent January return had been foreshadowed by the preliminary figures of sales of domestic products, but such an export as that of $197,000,000 of goods of all kinds had not been looked for. This total has been surpassed twice only in January's trade annals, but the real significance of the return lay in the fact that imports were deduced by nearly $6,500,000, as compared with December figures, and left the balance of $86,770,000 to our credit on our complete trade.

It will not do to minimize the great part played in this showing by cotton shipments, but, after all, the important thing is that against the actual import excess in eight months up to August last we have since then built up an export balance of about $368,000,000, a credit unparalleled in this period save in the extraordinary months following the 1907 panic. All of which means simply that, with our usual good fortune as a nation, we have retrieved a position which a few short months ago certainly clouded the business and financial horizon.

Money Rates Easier.

Following the reduction in Bank of England's rate of discount, which had been expected, owing to the increasing ease, not only in London, but also at continental money centers, rates softened here, but actual quotations were little changed. This is natural since our own market has been easier than that of London for some time. The action of the English bank should further stimulate the efforts which our bankers are making with so much success.

Money on call steady; 2½@2¾ per cent; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¾; offered at 2¾. Time loans dull and easy, 60 days 3 per cent, and 90 days 3@3¼; six months 3¼@3¾. Close—Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 483.40@483.80 for 60 day bills, and at 486.15 for demand. Commercial bills 482¾@483¼. Bar silver 51. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds easy; railroad bonds irregular.

EXPRESS SHARES.

Adams	230	United States	164@164
American	240	Wells-Fargo	160@163½

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 2s, registered	101	101½
United States 2s, coupon	101	101½
United States 3s, registered	102¾	103
United States 3s, coupon	102¾	103
United States 4s, registered	116	116½
United States 4s, coupon	116	116½
United States Panama 2s, registered	100¾	101¼
United States Panama 2s, 1908	100¾	

IN THE FOREIGN STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Money and discount rates were easy today. The reduction in the bank rate had been discounted and did not affect the stock market, which was irregular throughout the session. British securities declined on profit taking and Kaffirs were neglected, but rubber shares, Mexican rails, and Honduras bonds improved. American securities opened steady and about unchanged. Later prices advanced a fraction on light covering, but business was checked by reports of new bond issues. In the afternoon Wall street selling caused a sharp decline and the market closed easy.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

	Increase.
Total reserve	$ 331,000
Circulation, decreased	972,000
Bullion, increased	198,976
Other securities, increased	3,056,000
Other deposits, decreased	468,000
Public deposits, increased	2,626,000
Notes reserve, increased	431,000
Government securities, decreased	78,000

The proportion of the bank's reserves to liability is 52.75 per cent; last week it was 50.22 per cent.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

	London Feb. 16.	N. Y. equiv.	London Feb. 10.	N. Y. equiv.	Wednesday's close.
Anaal	90¾	90¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
Atchison	108¾	108¾	110	107	108¾
Do pfd	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼
B. & O.	108¼	108¼	108¾	108¾	108¾
Can. Pac.	217¾	213¾	218¾	213	213¾
C. & O.	68¾	68	68	68¾	68¾
C. G. W.	23¾	23¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
C. M. & St. P.	151	150¾	151¾	150	150¾
D. & R. G.	35¾	34¾	35	34¾	34¾
Do pfd	73	73	73	73	73
Erie	32¾	32¼	32¾	31¾	32¼
Do 1st pfd	52¾	52	52¾	51	51¾
Do 2d pfd	43	42¾	43	42¾	42¾
Ill. Central	140	139¾	140	139¾	139¾
L. & N.	147½	147½	148¾	147¾	148¾
M., K. & T.	35¾	35¾	37	36	35¾
N. Y. Cent.	116	115¾	116¾	115¾	115¾
Norf. & W.	109¾	109¾	110	107	109¾
O. & W.	44¾	44¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Pennsylvania	127¾	127¾	128¾	128	127¾
Reading	87¾	86¾	87¾	86¾	86¾
So. Pac.	125¾	118½	125¾	118¾	119¾
So. Ry.	29	28¾	29¾	28¾	28
Do pfd	67½	66¾	67¾	66¾	66¾
Un. Pac.	165½	172¾	164¾	170¾	170¾
Do pfd	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
U. S. Steel	82¾	80¾	82¾	80¾	80¾
Do pfd	120¾	119	120¾	119	119
Wabash	17¾	16¾	17¾	17	17¾
Do pfd	38¾	37½	39¾	38½	37¾
Cons. for money	90 1-16		Grand Trunk		128¾
Cons. for acct	90 1-16		Gould & Wab.		14¾
Can. Pac.	217¾	213¾	Rand Mines		6¾
Del. & Hud.	189	Spanish 4s			90

Bar silver—Steady; 25 11-16d per oz.

Money—2@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2¾@3 15-16 per cent.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Fortune wears gradually firmer on the bourse today. Closing: Three per cent rentes, 91 francs 45 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 20½ centimes for checks.

The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

	Francs.
Notes in circulation, decreased	48,300,000
Treasury deposits, increased	37,600,000
General deposits, decreased	22,900,000
Gold in hand, increased	1,975,000
Silver in hand, increased	2,450,000
Bills discounted, decreased	36,400,000
Advances, decreased	1,700,000

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Trading was quiet on the bourse today. The reduction in the discount rate of the Bank of England's rate of discount, exchanges on London, 20 marks 47 pfennigs for checks. Money, 3 per cent. Private discount, 2¾ per cent.

IN THE BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON Mass., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The market had a weak tone throughout the entire session and although Calumet and Hecla issues were only fractionally lower, the market was generally affected with new orders. Copper shares were noticeably soft. Osceola declining 2 points, Arizona Commercial, Lake Copper, and North Butte 1 point each, while Isle Royale, U. S. Smelting, Utah Consolidated, Utah Copper and Nevada Consolidated were fractionally lower. Old Dominion, Shannon and other issues changed little. Railroad and industrial securities were generally quiet and few price changes worth noting were recorded. Old Colony, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Mexican Central, Mexican National, Boston and Maine, Boston Elevated, Mexican Light and Power, Illinois Central and Atlantic Coast Line were all unchanged. Mexican Central 4s were off ½ point, while Mexican Light and Power 5s were up ½ point. Mexican Light and Power 4s were off ¼ point. Mexican Central 4s were off ½ point, while Mexican Light and Power 5s were up ½ point. Mexican Light and Power 4s were off ¼ point. Mexican Central 4s were off ½ point, while Mexican Light and Power 5s were up ½ point. Mexican Light and Power 4s were off ¼ point.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Feb. 16.	Close Feb. 15.
Allis-Chal. pfd	200	32¼	32¾	32	32	
Amal. Copper	1,900	65	65	63½	63¾	65
Amer. Ag. Chem.	1,000	51	51½	50¾	50¾	51¾
Amer. Sugar	1,700	44	44¾	44	44	44¾
Am. Tel. & Tele. pfd	100	125½	125½	125½	125½	125½
Amer. Can	200	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
Do pfd	2,500	81¼	81¾	80¾	80¾	81¼
Amer. Car Fdy	1,300	56¾	56¾	55¾	55¾	56
Amer. Cot. Oil	100	30¾	30¾	30¼	30¼	30¾
Do pfd	100	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼	
Amer. Hide & L.	100	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	
Amer. Ice	900	21¾	21¾	20¾	20¾	21¼
Amer. Linseed	100	13	13	13	13	
Do pfd	100	32	32	32	32	
Amer. Locomo.	800	41	41	40¾	40¾	41¾
Amer. Malt. pfd	100	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾	
Amer. Smelting	11,000	79¾	79¾	77¾	77¾	79¼
Do pfd	700	103	103	103	103	103¼
Amer. Steel Fdy	100	50¾	50¾	50	50	50¾
Amer. Sugar	1,800	119¼	119¼	118¾	118¾	118¾
Amer. T. & Tel.	4,100	145¾	145¾	144¼	144¼	145¾
Amer. Tob. pfd	500	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¾	96
Am. W. Paper	200	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
Anaconda	300	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
Atchison	1,000	108¾	109¼	104¾	105	106¾
Do pfd	200	103	103	103¾	103¾	
Atl. Coast Line	400	122¾	123¾	122	123	
Balt. & Ohio	900	105	105	104¼	104¼	105¼
Beth. Steel	600	32¼	32¾	31¾	31¾	
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	5,700	78¾	79¼	77¼	77¼	78¾
B. U. Gas	100	140¾	140¾	140¾	140¾	141
Brunswick	100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Butterick	400	28¼	28¼	28¼	28¼	
Can. Pacific	3,800	213¾	213¾	210¼	210¼	213¾
Cent. Leather	900	32	32	31¼	31¾	32
Do pfd	100	104¼	104¼	104¼	104¼	104¼
Ches. & Ohio	22,900	80	80¼	78¾	79¾	80¾
C. G. W.	100	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	23¾
Do 1st pfd	100	46	46	46	46	
C., M. & St. P.	3,200	127¾	127¾	125	125½	128
C. & N. W.	800	147½	147¾	146¾	147¼	148
C., C., C. & St. L.	200	84	86	84	86	
Colo. Southern	200	57¾	57¾	57	57	57¾
Do 1st pfd	100	76	76	76	76	
C. F. & I.	700	34¼	34¾	33¾	33¾	34¾
Con. Gas	3,200	142	143	140¾	140¾	142¾
Corn Products	500	14¾	14¾	13¾	13¾	14¼
Do pfd	200	79	79¾	79	79¾	79¾
D. & Rio G.	800	34½	34½	33¾	33¾	34¼
Do pfd	700	72¾	73¼	72¾	72¾	72¾
Del. & Hudson	1,000	170¾	170¾	170	170	171¼
Distillers	800	35	35	33¾	33¾	34¼
DuPont Powder, pfd	100	84	84	84	84	
D., S. S. & A. pfd	400	36	36	35¾	35½	36¼
Erie	13,600	33¾	33¾	31¾	31½	33¾
Do 1st pfd	3,900	51¼	51¼	50	50	51¾
Do 2d pfd	600	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	40¾
Fed. M. & S.	300	32	32	31	31	32
Do pfd	200	98	98	98	98	98
Gen. Chem.	3,700	153¼	153¼	153¼	153¼	154¾
Goldfield Con.	800	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Gt. Nor. Ore	1,900	62¾	62¾	61¾	61¾	63¾
Gt. Nor. pfd	3,700	130	130¾	127¾	128¾	129¾
Ill. Central	300	138	138	138	138¼	138¾
Int. Harvester	300	118	118	117	117	
Int. Met.	1,400	20	20	19¼	19½	20¼
Do pfd	4,100	54¾	54¾	53¾	53¾	54¾
Int. Paper pfd	100	48¼	48¼	45¾	45¾	46
Int. Pump	200	43¾	43¾	43	43	43¾
Do pfd	200	89¾	89¾	88	88	89¼
K. C. Southern	700	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¾
Do pfd	100	67	67	67	67	
Laclede Gas	600	113¾	113¾	111	111	113¾
Lehigh Valley	23,000	177¾	177¾	174¾	176	177¼
Lack. Steel	300	38	38	38	38	
Louis. & Nash.	600	146	146	145	145	146¾
Manhattan	800	139¾	139¾	139¾	139¾	
Minn. & St. L.	200	43¾	43¾	39¾	39¾	40
M. St. P. & S. M.	4,900	149¾	149¾	142¾	142¾	142¾
Do pfd	100	158	153	153	153	153
Do issue	400	90¼	90¼	90¼	90¼	
M., K. & T.	2,900	35¾	35¾	34	34	35¾
Do pfd	200	67	67	67	67	
Missouri Pacific	42,200	62	62¾	57¾	57¾	59¾
Nati. Biscuit	200	124¾	124¾	122¾	122¾	123
Nati. Lead	800	57	57	56¼	56¼	57¼
N. R. R. Mex. 2d	2,200	38¼	38¼	37¾	38	38¼
N. Y. Central	6,500	113¾	114¾	113¾	114¾	115¾
N. Y. Dock	100	52	52	52	52	
N. Y., N. H. & H.	800	150¼	150¼	150¼	150¼	150¼
N. Y. O. & W.	800	42¾	42¾	42¼	42¾	42
Nort. & Western	4,200	106¾	106¾	106¼	106¼	106¼
North Amer.	600	71¼	71¼	70¾	70¾	71¼
Northern Pacific	35,900	125¼	125¾	125¼	125¼	127¼
Pacific Mail	200	26	26	25	25	27¼
Pac. T. & Tel.	1,200	82	82	80¼	80¼	82¼
Pennsylvania	7,700	128	128	126¾	126¾	127¾
Pressed Steel Car	300	107	107	106¼	106¼	107
Pullman	100	161¼	161½	161¼	161¼	
Ry. Steel Spgs.	200	36¾	36¾	36¼	36¼	36¾
Reading	149,900	156½	156¾	156¼	156¾	157
Do 2d pfd	400	96¾	96¾	96	96	
Rep. Iron & S.	1,100	34¼	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¾
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Property at S. W. Corner of 31st Street Bought by W. W. Shaw and Others.

MANY DEALS IN FLATS.

Sale and Subsequent Lease of 111 Randolph Street Indicated in Papers Filed.

An important transaction just closed in the South Michigan avenue district is the purchase by Walden W. Shaw, Frank R. Blaine, and Frederick H. Bartlett of the property at the southwest corner of Thirty-first street.

The property belonged to the estate of Beatrice M. Phelps and was first conveyed to Lee P. Perron, who subsequently conveyed to Mr. Shaw, Mr. Blaine, and Mr. Bartlett. A nominal consideration is named in the deed, but the actual price is said to be about $125,000.

The property is triangular in shape and contains 18,650 square feet of space. The purchasers plan to improve with a modern two story store and building to contain nine stores and twenty offices after plans by Marshall & Fox. Raymond E. Herman of Herman Bros' represented the sellers.

Cohan Deal Nears Close.

Negotiations for the acquirement of the White property on Washington street made progress yesterday and additional color was given to the report that it is being acquired for George Cohan, the actor-play wright, as a site for his Chicago theater.

While averse to discussing Mr. Cohan's connection with the transaction, it was admitted by representatives of both the Whites and Mr. Cohan that negotiations for the acquirement of the property are nearly concluded.

The sale and subsequent long term lease of the property at 211 East Randolph street were indicated by papers filed for record during the day. The property, which is 100 feet east of Michigan avenue on the north side of the street, and is improved with a four story and basement building, was just sold by John Moll to Albert Pick & Co., dealers in chinaware, etc., who occupy the adjoining premises at 209-11. A consideration of $10 appeared in the deed.

Mr. Pick then conveyed the property to Mrs. Mabel Pagin for $60,000 and took back from her a lease of the property for a term of ninety-nine years from Feb. 1, 1911, at an annual rent of $3,000 net, the lessee paying taxes. The lessor may elect to extend term for an additional ninety-nine years with a rental required to be such as a building not less than eight stories high prior to 1923, but not less than $40,000. The board of review valued the property at $55,010, of which $10,000 is in the building.

Apartment House Sold.

Louis B. Wagner has sold to Fred C. Bell the apartment house property at the northeast corner of Monroe avenue and Fourteenth street. The lot is 50x165 feet and is improved with a three story and basement building containing twenty-four apartments of five and six rooms. A consideration of $10 is given in the deed, subject to incumbrance of $30,000, but the property is said to have been valued at $35,000.

Mr. Wagner also conveyed to Mr. Bell the property in Cottage Grove avenue, 191 feet north of Sixty-third street, 150x120 feet, east front, with improvements consisting of eight stores and a garage, for nominal consideration. The property is said to be valued at $50,000 to $55,000.

More Deals in Flat Property.

The twelve apartment building with 66x126 feet of ground at the northeast corner of Ingleside avenue and Fifty-third street has been acquired by E. D. Stevens. The property first was conveyed by R. K. Hay of Spokane, Wash., to M. D. Cadwell of Washington for $35,000, subject to incumbrance of $21,000. Subsequently it was transferred by Cadwell to Stevens for nominal consideration exclusive of the incumbrance of $35,000.

Music Company Gets Lease.

E. F. Leeber & Co. have leased for A. J. Franks to Henry Waterson, president of the Ted Snyder Music company of New York City, the mezzanine floor at the southwest corner of State and Monroe streets for ten years at a term rent of $75,000. The floor fronts 27 feet on State and 70 feet on Monroe street. It will be occupied by the company as a salesroom for sheet music.

Leeber & Co. also have leased for Albert Hosfeld and S. S. Lelewer to E. W. Rieck for luncheon purposes, the store and basement at 318 State street, facing on Congress, for five years at a total rent of $25,000.

Flat Property Brings $80,000.

Mark Troy & Bro. have sold for J. F. Sursmith to Miss M. Jacobs the six flat building, 50x130 feet, at 3839-41 Lafayette parkway for about $30,000.

The store and flat property at 3811-19 State street, 100x125 feet, with three story building, containing five stores and twenty flats, has been sold by Stella S. Massey to Pincus A. Gross for $45,000. Arthur Wolfrab represented both parties.

Stewart & Connell sold for Myrtle Moffatt of Toledo, O., to Albert Weiss of Waipeton, N. D., the three-flat apartment building at the southwest corner of Grand avenue and Sixty-first street for a consideration of $80,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

LAKE VIEW.

Belmont, 99 w of Sheridan-rd., w f, 87½x
Feb. 4 [Robt. C. Gehrke to Louis
Belmont, 99 w of Sheridan-rd., n f, 87½x
Feb. 4 [Robt. C. Gehrke to Wm. R.
Belmont, 99 w of Southport-av., n f,
Feb. 14 [Henry Rumstick to
Thornhill]
Belmont-av., n e cor Bernard-av., s
Feb. 14 [Lina S. Walker to Levant
Richardson]
Belmont-av., 99 w of Southport-av., n f,
Feb. 14 [Henry Rumstick to
Thornhill]
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Feb. 14 [Lina S. Walker to Levant
Richardson]
Berteau-av., 169 e of Wareland-av., s f, 25x
Feb. 14 [Basil S. Nyswander to Wm.
Cornelia-pl., 183 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Mary Dolfyne to Bertha Linder]
Cornelia-pl., 213 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Caroline Niemann to John
Cornelia-pl., 243 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Bernhard Schmidt to Robt. T. Summers]
Cornelia-pl., 273 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Andrew Rost to Frank J.
Cornelia-pl., 303 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Antonie Lamsel]
Cornelia-pl., 333 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Aug. C. Lipcke to John W.
Cornelia-pl., 363 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Christina Hoffman to Henry
Cornelia-pl., 393 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Hartford Fire Ins. Co. to
Cornelia-pl., 423 n of Grace-st., w f, 30x
Feb. 14 [Wm. R. Fluer to Peter

SOUTH TOWN.

Cornelia-pl., 228 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
Feb. 14 [Aug. C. Lipcke to John W.
Cornelia-pl., 258 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
Feb. 14 [Christina Hoffman to Henry
Cornelia-pl., 288 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
Feb. 14 [Hartford Fire Ins. Co. to
Cornelia-pl., 318 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
Feb. 14 [Wm. R. Fluer to Peter
Cornelia-pl., 348 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
Feb. 14 [Aug. C. Lipcke to John W.
Cornelia-pl., 378 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
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Cornelia-pl., 408 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
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Cornelia-pl., 468 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
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Feb. 14 [Aug. C. Lipcke to John W.
Cornelia-pl., 618 n of Blackhawk-st., w f,
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STEINWAY PIANOS.
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For this sale we have assembled every Steinway Piano which has had use or been taken in ex-change. There are many rare values in this col-lection. Both uprights and grands are included.

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We are pursuing the same policy in the juvenile department as in the women's lines, marking every winter garment at a price to insure prompt clearance.

Girls' coats
6.75 that sold up to $30; cheviots, broadcloths, zibelines and plushes; some lined with satin; some body and sleeve lined; all at 6.75.

Misses' coats
Garments that retailed as high as 32.50 included; fancy Scotch mixtures and cheviots; storm and plain coat collars; braid and velvet trimming; 6.75.

Juniors' coats
Lines that sold up to $30; broadcloth, kersey, fancy cheviots & caracul cloths; full satin lined; shawl, coat and storm collars; to close at 6.75. **6.75**

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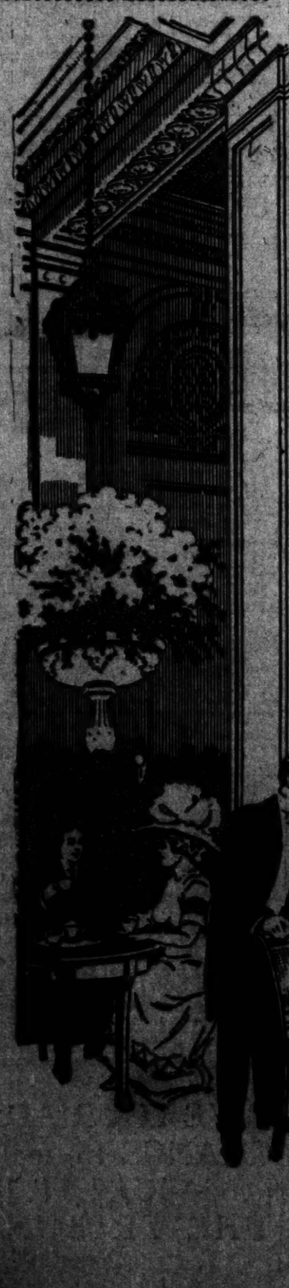

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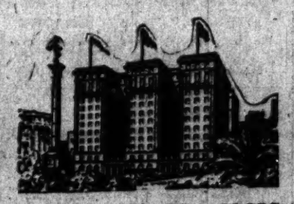

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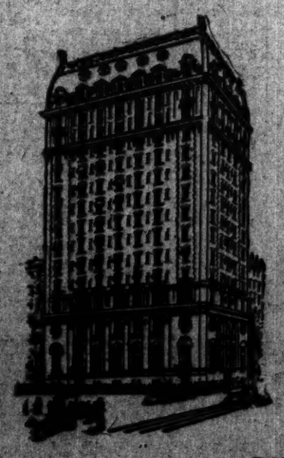

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